Weather

Colder weather. The meximum temperature yesterday was 52 and the minimum 42, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 48 and 33.6.

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CO-OPERATION S KEYNOTE OF KING'S SPEECH

leased At Prospect Of Closer Unity With Dominions

TAVORS TAX CUTS

eclares Government Is Seeking Unemployment Solution

(Reuter's Service)

London, February 15.—The ing's speech at the opening of arliament today expresses plea- re that arrangements have en made to renew the personal onsultation between the Minis- rs and their colleagues over- as, which produced such good esults in the last two years of he war and during the peace ttlement. His Majesty expres- s the hope that the Prime inisters of Canada, Australia, ew Zealand, South Africa and ewfoundland, and also repre- entatives from India, will visit reat Britain this summer, and sserts that he is confident that eir discussions will be most aluable in bringing about co- rdination in the Empire's exter- l and internal policy.

The speech declares that the overnment is determined to re- uce expenditure to the lowest vel consistent with the well- eing of the Empire, as it is im- erative, in the interest of the irly revival of trade and in- ustry, that the burden of taxa- on necessitated by the war be educed to the utmost. Con- nuing, it emphasises the fact hat neither Irish unity nor self- overnment is attainable by the ethods of criminal violence hich have been resorted to for he purpose of establishing a epublic in Ireland.

NEMPLOYMENT PROBLEM

With reference to new Legisla- on, the speech states that the ost pressing problem is un- mployment, due to a world-wide striction of trade which can be lleviated, but not cured, by gislative action. A bill will be bmitted extending provision for he unemployed under the Un- mployment Isurance Act, and lso a bill safeguarding the ssential key industries and ealing with certain aspects of nfair and abnormal industrial ompetition; while it is proposed ompletely to restore the coal in- ustry to its normal condition of reedom.

Other new bills will deal with organisation of the British ailways, completion of the Land urchase in Ireland, facilitation f the Scottish Church Union, the le of liquor and reform of the econd Chamber.

Fine weather favored the pre- ar pageantry which marked the pening of Parliament today. he event attracted crowds of eople eager to catch a glimpse of heir Majesties, driving in their orgeous Georgian coach, drawn y eight black horses, escorted y Beefeaters and "Blues," Royal Horse Guards) the latter earing their brilliant cuirasses nd helmets. The royal process- on, in which the Duke of York rove, included six carriages, hile the Prince of Wales, in a x-horse carriage, with an escort f Horse Guards, proceeded to arliament separately.

MPOSING SCENE

The scene in the House of ords was most interesting and mposing, and formed a great ntrast to the war days, when verybody was in khaki, and the eeresses wore morning dress. he House today was a flood of lor, with the scarlet, ermined obes of the peers, the brilliant niforms of the Court officials nd the splendid attire of the mbassadors, the only exceptions eing the American and German mbassadors, who were in even- g dress. The peeresses vied ith one another in the display diamonds and other orna- ents of attire.

After a procession of Officers of tate, who passed before the hrone, bowing to the Prince of Vales, who, in the robes of a oyal Duke, occupied a chair to e right of the Throne, the King ntered, leading the Queen by e hand. His Majesty was robed royal purple, and wore a large own, which glowed and sparkled ith the fire of the Imperial wels. Queen Mary also had a vely crown, while the front of r rich Court dress glistened ith rivers of diamonds. She oked truly regal and astonish- gly young. When their Ma- ties were seated on their rones, the Commons were sum- oned and the King read his peech.

Prima Donna Announces Engagement To Accompanist

Amelita Galli-Curci

AMELITA Galli-Curci, grand opera star, whose approaching marriage to Homer Samuels, her accompanist, was recently announced in Chicago. "It's a case of real love. I'm very happy. I want all my friends to know it. He's a grand man—so good," said the famous coloratura sporano. The diva's former husband, Marquis Luigi Curci, sought unsuccessfully to involve Mr. Samuels in her divorce suit of a year ago. Mme. Galli-Curci will complete her naturalisation in Chicago and it is expected that her marriage will take place shortly thereafter.

TRAIN AMBUSHED, 8 SLAIN IN ERIN

Seven Civilians Killed In Battle With Police Near Mallow

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 15.—A shocking death-roll has resulted from the ambushing of a train containing 40 soldiers, while enroute from Cork to Bandon. A large number of Republicans attacked the train from both sides of the line at Innishannon station. A fierce battle ensued, in which six soldiers were wounded (three of them seriously) two Republicans killed, five male and one female passengers killed, and several others injured, including two women, seriously. A relief train, with the wounded, has arrived at Cork.

A large force of military this morning surrounded a party of armed civilians at Mourne Abbey, near Mallow. The civilians refused to surrender and fired on the military. A sharp encounter resulted in 7 civilians being killed and 5 wounded, while four were arrested. The military sustained no casualties.

WASHINGTON BALL AT ASTOR HOUSE TUESDAY NIGHT

Requests For Invitations To American Co. Affair Must Be In Saturday Noon

The miniature Washington Ball—that is compared to previous years—will be held at the Astor House Hotel next Tuesday night and the committee announced last night that there will probably be dancing in both ball rooms.

Those desiring to attend must get in touch with members of the American Company, S.V.C., as soon as possible. All company men must have their requests for invitations in the hands of A. C. Davis before Saturday noon. Davis is chairman of the invitations committee.

The hotel lobby and ball rooms will be decorated for the occasion, two orchestras will probably be engaged for the dancing and a midnight supper is to be served. Tickets are three dollars. And but 400 are to be issued.

U.S. Produces Big 1920 Sugar Crop

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Feb. 15.—The Bureau of Crop Estimates announces that 2,605 million lbs. of sugar were produced in the United States last year, including 2,219 million lbs. of beet-sugar, which is the highest on record.

LLOYD GEORGE, IN COMMONS DEBATE, PARRIES THRUSTS

Declares London Conference Will Not Revise Peace Treaty

INDICTS SINN FEINERS

Pays Tribute To Dominions For Help Given During War

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 15.—In the House of Commons today, in reply to criticisms of the speech from the Throne, Mr. Lloyd George welcomed the intimation that Germany intended to submit counter-proposals with a real desire to liquidate her treaty liabilities, but, he said, the forthcoming Conference would in no way take the form of a revision or recasting of the Peace Treaty. Undoubtedly, the Treaty of Sevres would come up for discussion at the Near East Conference, the British representatives at which would be animated by the supreme desire to establish world-wide peace, subject to paramount obligation of securing the rights of the long-suffering Christian populations of Turkey.

Seeing that the Egyptian question was vital to the whole Empire, to peace in the Middle East, and perhaps to our future relations with India, the Government would have liked to consult the representatives of the Dominions as well as the Egyptian Minister, before committing themselves regarding Lord Milner's report.

DEFINES IRISH POLICY

Adverting to Ireland, the Premier emphasised the difficulties confronting the executive on account of the continued reticence of the people. Outlining his conversations with Archbishop Clune (of Perth, Western Australia) who, he said, was imbued with the most loyal sentiments towards the Empire, Mr. Lloyd George agreed to the necessity of negotiating a truce, because once the murder campaign had stopped, it would never be renewed. Nevertheless, those who were responsible for the maintenance of order, and who ran great personal risks, strongly urged against a truce without the express condition of the surrender of arms. This Sinn Fein refused to do, thus accepting the responsibility for the continuance of hostilities.

Although he admitted that the casualty-list of murders and outrages was still heavy, the Premier remarked it was noteworthy that the casualties now occurred because the police were pursuing rebels in wild places, whereas six months ago they were shot down in the streets of Dublin. The Premier counselled patience.

PROPOSAL DEFEATED

An amendment to the Address (the House's reply to the speech from the Throne) was moved by Major-General Sir John Davidson, who urged the appointment of a permanent joint advisory technical committee to consider the question of co-ordinating the Navy, Army and Air Forces. Lieutenant-General Sir Aylmer Hunter-Weston pleaded the necessity for such a body, on which he contended that the Dominions should be represented.

Mr. Lloyd George, speaking in reply, expressed sympathy with the proposal, but suggested that the matter should be left over for the Imperial Conference, because it was too much to ask these small islands, with the gigantic burdens they were bearing, to undertake the defence of the whole Empire.

When we were in trouble, Mr. Lloyd George went on, the Empire helped us. Over a million men came from India voluntarily, and vast numbers from other parts, but that spasmodic effort of solidarity of the vast Empire was a guarantee against further shedding of blood, since the sword would never have been drawn had those who planned the war known what the British Empire would do. Consequently, we must make common cause, and not involve the Dominions or India in our quarrels, but ensure common action in the event of a just quarrel.

The amendment was withdrawn.

Pneumonic Plague Appears In Harbin; Epidemic Feared

(Staff Wire to THE CHINA PRESS)

Peking, Feb. 16.—The United States Legation has been informed that many cases of pneumonic plague have appeared in the vicinity of Harbin. An epidemic is feared unless warmer weather comes.

SEES TRADE PACT WITH RUSSIA AS ROAD TO PEACE

Lord Curzon Says Agreement Ought To Be Obtained Easily

OUTLOOK IS BRIGHTER

Foreign Secretary Asserts Europe Is Well On Road To Recovery

(Reuter's Service)

Loodon, Feb. 15.—In the House or Lords today, Lord Curzon, Foreign Secretary, declared that the conditfon of Europe was undoubtedly brighter than it was a year ago, but, unfortunately, this did not apply in regard to Asia. The co-operation between Britain and France, which was at present the main factor in the peace of Europe, had been maintained unimpaired.

The various new European countries, the boundaries of which had now been practically settled, were busily occupied in building up their national existence, and their manful efforts notwithstanding their lack of resources and experience, called forth our keen sympathy. Finland, Latvia, Esthonia, Lithuania, Czecho-Slovakia, Jugo-Slavia and Rumania had all practically composed their difficulties with their neighbors, and were settling down into useful life. Austria alone was presenting anxiety.

In his opinion, there should be no difficulty in reaching a trade agreement with Russia. The real chance of Russia's recovery lay in economic agreements, which tended to preclude the possibility of war. Great Britain's only concern in the course of the negotiation had been to ensure that trade relations were made with people who would act in a friendly manner, and not engage in hostile action in distant parts of the world.

Lord Curzon described the Imperial Cabinet—which is to meet this Summer—as "a new and powerful organ of Government." All its members, he said, were invested with full authority, and made decisions which were not merely those of the British Government, but of the British Empire.

The Foreign Secretary recalled that at previous meetings of this body we had not merely received valuable counsels from Dominion Ministers, but their presence and co-operation was an immense addition to our moral and material strength. Such Empire Conferences were not less important in time of peace. The main desire that actuated the members of that body was that this amazing congress of independent states and of free nationalities, which was held together by a mere silken thread—by the sense that all had a common mission in the world, and owed loyalty to a common law, language and king—should be bound by even closer ties.

CARUSO DYING, AFTER RELAPSE, IS LAST REPORT

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Feb. 16.—Signor Caruso, the famous tenor, is believed to be dying following a relapse last evening of his recent illness. Extreme unction has been administered.

Piece Goods Men More Optimistic; Prices Improve

The piece goods market looks brighter and foreign merchants believe that there will be an upward trend in prices of woolen goods. The Kungping auction, the first to be held since the Chinese New Year saw the prices higher for all grades of cotton goods. "The situation looks brighter," foreign merchants said last night.

One reason for the increase in sales at the Kungping auction is the long period of stagnation in the local market. Dealers and brokers left Shanghai for their homes 10 or 12 days before Chinese New Year and even now all have not returned. So that a demand has been created because comparatively no business has been done since the third week in January.

TEUTON EXPORTS SHOW BIG GAINS, FRENCH CONTEND

Tax Of 12 Percent Fully Justified, Paris Experts Insist

AMPLE PROOF IS CITED

Books Juggled To Conceal Real Status Of Country, Charge

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Feb. 15.—Despite the protests from the other side of the Rhine against the decision of the Paris Conference to exact a 12 percent tax on German exports, this is held to be a logical and equitable means of fixing Germany's payments in the way of reparations. Germany's recovery has just been confirmed by the increase in her exports, due to important orders received from America, Japan, England and Holland.

The British press is already complaining of German competition. The appearance of German chemical products is announced from America, Africa, Australia and Japan. The statistics of Dutch trade show that from January to September, 1921, Holland bought from Germany textiles to the value of 2,363,000,000 florins. According to the Amsterdam Telegraaf the trade balance between Holland and Germany amounts to 468,500,000 florin in favor of the latter.

Although the German Government shows a prudent reserve in avoiding the publication of any figures which would clash with its assertions, it has nevertheless been compelled to admit that Germany's excess of exports over imports was 576,000,000 marks last April, and 1,110,000,000 marks in May.

When to these indications that Germany's exports are recovering are added other no less certain signs, such as the growth of capital of the large companies, the formation of new companies and the erection of numerous factories convincing proof is afforded that Germany is in a position to meet her obligations in regard to reparations which she formally undertook in signing the Treaty of Versailles.

Paris, Feb. 15.—It is stated that the Conference on Near Eastern affairs, which has been fixed to assemble in London on the 21st inst., will not be postponed, whether the Turkish Nationalist delegation arrives in time or not. The delegation is due at Brindisi tomorrow. According to the Petit Parisien, an Armenian delegation may also be given a hearing.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 15.—A committee is to meet in Paris on the 21st inst. for the preliminary discussion of the various problems pertaining to traffic by set and rail which are to come before the International Conference that is to sit at Barcelona next month, under the presidency of M. Gabriel Hanotaux, the former French Foreign Minister.

Paris, Feb. 15.—Prince Sapieha, the Polish Foreign Minister, arrived in London from Paris on Monday, when he lunched with Lord Curzon. He was to be received in private audience by King George today.

DIPHTHERIA IN CITY IS ON WANE

No Plague Infected Rats Discovered During January

The outbreak of diphtheria in a mild form that developed in the Settlement in December is diminishing and no further discoveries of plague infected rats have been made in the past month, according to the January report of the Health Officer, published in the current issue of the Municipal Gazette. Two plague infected rats were discovered in the neighborhood of the waterfront in December and on this subject the report says:

Considerable numbers of rats were sent by the Port Health Authority from ships coming from ports known to have Plague cases and examined in the Municipal Laboratory with negative result. Precautions, however, are not being relaxed. Plague in Manchuria is reported to be more active.

Smallpox, the report adds, continues practically absent, though there has been an occasional imported case, one being brought down by a refugee from the famine area. Vaccination has been done by the Municipal Health Office among the refugees in camp locally.

Royalty From Siam In U.S. To Study

PRINCE Mahidol, brother of the King of Siam, accompanied by the Princess, has returned to America to continue his studies at the Harvard Medical School and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He is making a specialty of sanitation methods and the public health, so he may be able on his return to Siam to take over the job of keeping the kingdom healthful.

Chinese Ratepayers Say Council Misconstrues Advisory Body's Status

Electoral Organisation Contends Municipality Misunderstood Regulations Under Which Nominees Were Selected

The five members elected to form the Chinese Advisory Committee of the Municipal Council, whose names the Council refused to accept for approval by the Consular Body, are duly qualified for office, according to claims of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association, which body contends that the Council's action is a result of misconstruction of the Association's regulations.

In yesterday's issue was published the letter of the Municipal Council, of Jan. 13 addressed to the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce with reference to the question of the Chinese Advisory members. A copy has now been received of the reply of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association, dated Jan. 24, which was transmitted to the Council by the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce. It is understood that this letter was to come up for consideration at last night's Council meeting and that the Council's reply will be issued in due course.

'WRONG INTERPRETATION'

The letter follows:

"The Chinese Ratepayers' Association,
3, Hankow Road, Shanghai.
January 24th, 1921.

Dear Sir,

We thank you for your letter of the 7th instant containing the reply of the Council to your letter of Nov. 24, 1920. The reply raised certain questions on the election of the five gentlemen to the Chinese Advisory Committee. We are of the opinion that such questions were brought forth by the inaccurate information that the Council had received and by the wrong interpretation of the regulations. We believe that those questions can be easily answered and shall deem it a great favor if you will communicate such answer to the Council as follows:

After careful examination, we are perfectly satisfied that the five gentlemen elected are duly qualified.

Regulation 4 as well as the other regulations were passed by the Chinese ratepayers' general meeting duly held in the building of the Chinese Young Men's Christian Association on October 20, 1920, and it expresses their desire as to the manner in which the Advisory Committee, who are to represent them, should be elected. The Council will appreciate that when it is established that the Chinese ratepayers are entitled to have five persons to represent them in matters concerning local administration they may be taken to know best the method whereby their representatives are to be elected.

CITE OTHER TRANSLATION

As to Regulation 6, it would seem that the Council had labored under its inaccurate translation or wrong construction. We therefore propose to render a true translation thereof as follows:

Regulation 6,—The Duties of the Business Committee:

When any Chinese in the Settlement bring forward a proposal or a petition etc., concerning matters of vital interest and in respect of the local administration of the Settlement the same shall all be dealt with by the Bureau of Business Committee and then alloted for consideration [by the Advisory Committee].

It is clear that there is not the slightest suggestion in the regulation that any representations made by the Advisory Committee to the Council would have to be approved in the first instance by the Business Committee and still less that any reference of whatever nature by the Council to them should place them under an obligation to refer to Business Committee for approval. We fully appreciate the opinion of the Council that the Advisory Committee should not in any way be fettered as to their advice or representations by any controlling or supervising body. As Regulation 6 does not create such a body, or any obligation on the part of the Advisory Committee to any body of any description, their actions are in no way fettered by the provisions of that regulation.

We shall be obliged if you will communicate the contents of this letter to the Council at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,
(Signed) CHENGTING T. WANG.,
Chairman.

The Chairman,
Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, Shanghai.

Clothing Strike In N.Y. Dwindles

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Feb. 15.—The strike of 35,000 employes in the clothing industry, most of them women and girls, which broke out last week, has collapsed. Half of the strikers have already resumed work, and the others are gradually returning.

INDIA CHALLENGES

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Feb. 15.—India has sent a challenge for the Davis Cup (lawn tennis).

More Join Strike On Indian Railway

(Reuter's Service)

Bombay, Feb. 15.—In addition to the strike on the Bombay and Baroda Railway, which continues, three thousand railwaymen employed by the Great Indian Peninsular Line have struck at Parell, a suburb of Bombay.

LORD MILNER KNIGHTED

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 15.—Lord Milner has been appointed a Knight of the Garter.

MAKE 'EM PAY SLOGAN MAY COST BRIAND PREMIERSHIP

Ex-President Poincare Now Talked Of For Job

DEMANDS ACTION

Force Germany To Pay Or Fight, His Announced Policy

NATION RESTLESS

Financial Press Predicts Crash If Delay Continues

(U. S. Naval Radio)

Paris, Feb. 16.—Former president Poincare, who is looked upon as the logical successor to Premier Briand if the latter is repudiated by the Chamber of Deputies in the event of further yielding to Germany on his part, publishes an article in the Matin in which he demands that France reserve the right to take individual military action against Germany unless there is immediate conformity to the treaty stipulations regarding reparations.

The former president calls on Premier Briand not merely to refuse consent to any further modification of the Paris indemnity agreement, but to do his utmost to increase France's share.

French financial circles are pessimistic about reparations, particularly in view of Premier Briand's statement that France, for several years to come, must be prepared to raise from ten to fifteen billion francs annually by internal loans.

The announced program for the forthcoming London conference fails to satisfy the nationalists, who insist upon Poincare succeeding Briand nad also upon military action against Germany. The banks are still burdened with credits issued upon the security of commodities the value of which is not half what it was at the time the loans were negotiated.

One financial daily goes so far as to say that a widespread financial crash can be averted only by prompt government action.

Officially Denied That Wilson Will Ask Cancellation

Chamberlain's Appeal Said To Have Fallen On Barren Ground

(U.S. Navy Radio Through Reuter)

Washington, Feb. 14.—An emphatic denial has been given to the report that President Wilson assured representatives of the Allies at the Peace Conference that he would use his influence to secure cancellation of Allied indebtedness to the United States.

It is further learned that when the suggestion was made directly to the Treasury Department by the British Chancellor, ten months ago, that it would be advisable for all the Allied Governments to cancel their foreign war debts, Mr. Houston responed with a polite refusal on the ground that the United States owed to money to any of its former associates in the war and would be the only nation affected which would derive no benefit from such a cancellation. The British have not since renewed the suggestion.

Officially, it is argued, the United States has shown the most liberal attitude towards her debtors, and the latter should be able to satisfy their obligations if given ample time. It is also pointed out that if Germany can pay the heavy indemnity demanded by the Paris Agreement, the Allies are certainly able to discharge their debts to the United States.

Mr. Chamberlain's renewed appeal, therefore, must be said to have fallen upon barren ground, so far as the present administration is concerned.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The Judiciary Committtee of the Senate has advised Mr. Houston, the Secretary of the Treasury, not to pay any more money to foreign governments in the form of loans, without consultation with the Committee, regardless of whether commitments have already been made.

JAPS STORING OIL FOR 'EMERGENCY' SAYS NAVY CHIEF

Minister Tells How Nation Is Making Up For Lack Of Resources

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Feb. 15.—In the Diet today, Mr. Hogi Oshikawa (Independent) declared that America controlled 65 percent of the world's supplies of petroleum, whereas Japan's share was a mere fraction. The Empire's future prosperity depended on having sufficient supplies of oil. Moreover, when the new "eight unit" fleet was completed, it would need 3,000,000 tons of oil annually. He drew attention to the competition for oil supremacy between Great Britain and America, and asked what the Government was doing in the matter.

The Minister of the Navy replied that the Government had a well-established policy, to which it was carefully adhering. Furthermore, the Navy was storing oil year by year against a future emergency.

The budget provides for the partial electrification of the State Railways. The Railway Minister declared that this would effect great economy. It had also been agreed in principle that the whole of the railways should be electrified, maintaining the narrow gauge.

Urga Defenders May Have Perished

(Reuter Pacific Service)

Peking, Feb. 16.—The Government officially confirms the report received of the fall of Urga, but the information given is of the vaguest description.

Mr. Ch'en Yi, Resident Commissioner at the court of the Hutukhtu, telegraphing from Kiakhta on February 8 reported that Baron Ungern's forces attacked on February 2, and that General Kao Tsai-tien with fifteen hundred cavalry retired northward, but returned on the following day and assisted the departure from Urga of several thousand Chinese residents.

Mr. Ch'en then went on to Kiakhta, General Kao remaining at Houti. The Commander-in-Chief, General Chu Chih-siang, was then meeting an enemy attack from the East. Mr. Ch'en says that the Ungern forces captured Urga on February 4, but does not mention what fate befell General Chu and his 3,500 infantry.

Other telegrams from Taolin state that reinforcements from that place had nearly reached Urga when they came in contact with the enemy and fell back on Taolin. These reinforcements were unable to give any particulars regarding Urga, and thus so far as the Government knows, General Chu and his men may still be holding the whole or a portion of Urga, or may all have been killed or captured.

The Government believes that the Russians have considerably reinforced Baron Ungern's army lately; and that the motive of its commander is to establish a Mongolian base for operations, in concert with them, against Transbaikalia.

Women Ask Place On Mandate Body

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 16.—A number of representative feminists have written letters to the press, urging that at least one woman be included on the Mandates Commission to be appointed by the League of Nations Council on February 21, in view of the questions affecting women and children with which it will have to deal.

British Admiral Honored At U.S. Naval Academy

(Reuter's Service)

Annapolis, Maryland, Feb. 16.—The British Admiral Sir Lewis Bayly was accorded an ovation by the midshipmen at the Naval Academy here this morning when he spoke in praise of the splendid co-operation of the American and British fleets during the war. Although his visit is unofficial, the distinguished visitor received an Admiral's salute and a band paraded in his honor. He will be banquetted in New York by a hundreds and fifty of the American Naval officers with whom he so cordially co-operated during the war.

A dirigible and five seaplanes escorted the vessel on which the Admiral arrived from Colon up New York Bay.

Statue Of Liberty Is Maid Of Honor At Unique Wedding

The Statue of Liberty was the maid of honor at a unique wedding recently. Her flaming torch illuminated the marriage procession of Miss Frances Charlotte Dunham and Chester Wadsworth Williams, an ex-service man. The nuptial knot was tied at Miss Liberty's base, in observance of the fact that the marriage license was the first ever granted to a resident of Bedloe's Island. The photograph shows Chaplain E. Banks Smith, of Governor's Island, performing the ceremony. Mrs. H. S. Paddock, a sister with whom Miss Dunham had made her home, acted as bridesmaid, and her husband, Lieutenant H. Paddock, was best man. Mr. Williams is professor of history at Blair Hall, in Blairstown, N. J.

American Woman's Club Notes

The program devoted to literature and music for children which was presented at the meeting of the Mother's Department of the American Woman's Club yesterday was of exceptional interest and was so worth while that it may be repeated at a regular meeting of the club.

Mrs. T. Bodde of Nanyang College who was in charge of the meeting gave a paper on "Literature for Children" which represented her experiences as a teacher and a mother, in dealing with books for children. Mrs. Bodde spoke of the different types of books and stressed the need of introducing the classics, the best in poetry, stories of heroes, and fairy tales to the children. The speaker declared that the classics should be read to the children when they were very young in order that they might cultivate a taste for the best in literature.

Mrs. Bodde urged all parents to educate the kiddies to appreciate poetry and she spoke especially of the poems of Longfellow, Whittier and Stevenson. The value of teaching the children to illustrate the stories they read or heard on the blackboard was pointed out as was also the need of a globe and an atlas.

MRS. FULLER SPEAKS

Mrs. J. W. Fuller spoke on "Music for Children" and her talk was illustrated by a group of songs sung by Mrs. G. Thompson. Mrs. Fuller spoke of the use of the Victoria in teaching children the best in music and to familiarise them with the various composers. A feature of special interest in the talk was the song story, "The Owl and the Woodchuck." Mrs. Fuller told the story and introduced a number of songs which were sung by Mrs. Thompson.

In conclusion two of Stevenson's poems, "The Windy Night," and "The Moon" which have been set to music by Mrs. Bodde were sung by Mrs. Thompson.

A very comprehensive review of Bryant's book, "How to Tell Stories" was given by Mrs. E. Kelhoefer after which Mrs. Smith of Ningpo, who is a story teller of note, told the popular tale, "Epaminondas."

Long 'Phone Calls Successfully Made

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Feb. 16.—Telephone conversations between a ship in the Atlantic and Santa Catalina Island, off the coast of California, have been successfully accomplished through a combination of wireless and wire across the United States.

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British Women Meeting Tomorrow At Consulate To Organise Association

Several drawing room meetings Womens Association have been held in various parts of the settlement during the past week. In connection with the British But while quite a number of women have been reached by this somewhat fortuitous method a far greater number will, it is anticipated, learn about the objects of the Association at Lady Fraser's meeting tomorrow for the first time.

All women of British birth or nationality are urged to attend the meeting of the Association which will be held at the British Consulate at 5:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

What will take place at that meeting will of course greatly influence the future policy of the Association. The agenda that has been prepared for Lady Frazer's meeting (and this meeting is actually the preliminary meeting to the inauguration of the Association) embodies an address on the aims and objects of the Association.

This will be open to discussion by all those present and a resolution to the effect that the Association be hereby formed and members immediately enrolled will be put to the vote. If the resolution is carried the members thus enrolled will form the nucleus of the Association, which will ipso facto come into formation.

TO DISCUSS CONSTITUTION

The provisional committee responsible for promoting the scheme for such an Association will then be requested to lay before the meeting the draft constitution upon which they have been working. An address on the constitution—which will be taken up clause by clause—will then be given, after which a resolution will be moved that this draft constitution be adopted and brought forward for confirmation at the inaugural meeting (to be held on March 4) of the Association and that a Committee be then elected to serve in accordance with the terms of the Constitution.

The draft constitution is of the slenderest description compatible with the working of the Association, the provisional committee being desirous of leaving the hands of the forthcoming executive as free as possible in all respects; the idea being that the Association should be moulded by those concerned and not by any one group or clique in the community.

Speaking of the meeting one of those behind the proposed organisation said:

"The necessity of attending the meeting at the Consulate on Friday should thus be appreciated by all those who have the least interest in or an attracted in any respect by the scheme, that they themselves may discuss, amend (if necessary) and vote upon what is submitted to them with that object.

It is very likely, that this Association may exert a wide influence in the Settlement in the future and it is certainly up to all women concerned to see to it that its foundations are based on the broadest, most intelligent and helpful lines. Every member should be an active member at least to the extent of voting as seems to her right and good and it is only by virtue of the rank and file exercising this right to vote that the Association can become really representative and consequently managed in such a manner as to be useful to the greatest possible number.

CO-OPERATION IS URGED

The business of the meeting over, forms for the nomination of candidates or the executive committee will be available, and the names thus put forward will be balloted for at the inaugural meeting of the Association which will take place a fortnight later.

The co-operation of all British women is therefore urged—the married women, the teachers, the governesses, the hospital nurses, the children's nurses, the secretaries, clerks, stenographers and typhists, all women and girls engaged in business as well as all those women and girls who come under no such heading at all; all are invited to band themselves together in the great and common cause of social service, in the rendering of help to those who need it, and to weld themselves into and identify themselves with the great world work of post-war reconstruction and betterment of national conditons which in the face of difficulties untold is the self imposed labor of intelligent people in every part of the globe.

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Educational Association Ends With Session Today

The most unusual feature at yesterday's session of the annual meeting of the East China Educational Association now being held in Union Church Hall was an address by Dr. Ren, who made the trip from Peking as the special representative of the Chinese Minister of Education.

Dr. Ren said that he believed that this is the first time that the Peking Government has sent a representative to meet officially with a body of Christian educators, this being an event which shows the change from the attitude of indifference of many years ago to the present attitude of sympathetic co-operation in national affairs.

Hope was expressed that colleges and universities would produce more courses of a semi-vocational character, careful to avoid undesirable duplicating of courses with the resulting waste. Middle schools are urged to lay greater stress upon Chinese Literature and History, employing teachers who are the graduates of modern normal schools. A salary of fifty dollars per month is not sufficient to secure a first class teacher of these subjects.

URGES CLOSER RELATIONS

Dr. Ren urged Mission schools to enter into closer fellowship with local educational organisations.

In regard to the recognition by the Government of Mission Schools Dr. Ren said that the matter is a simple one, prompt recognition following inspection that shows that the schools have conformed to government requirements.

This matter of government recognition is to be taken up at the Saturday morning session, when a special committee makes its report.

The problem of teaching Chinese in Middle Schools was presented by Rev. Lowry Davis of Kashing. It was shown that the teaching of the "National Language" and phonetic script is slowly making headway in Mission schools and a chart showing the periodicals now being read in the schools shows a good variety of current literature. Miss Garland of the C.C.C. urged the educators to push the phonetic script in schools as a means of attacking the problem of illiteracy in China, for where schools teach this script it is eagerly and quickly mastered by illiterate adults in that region, who otherwise would be prejudiced against it.

DR. KUO SPEAKER

Dr. P. W. Kuo told of an enrolment of 900 students in the Government Teachers College Summer School Course in the National Language. Mr. Davis urged that schools send teachers to these summer course and recommended that no school that fails to teach the National language be given full standing by the Accrediting Committee.

Rev. W. P. Roberts presented a brief report including social service activities suggested for students.

During the report on the teaching of Agriculture Prof. J. L. Buck urged that Middle and Higher Primary schools send teachers to take the courses in Agriculture in the Summer school of the University of Nanking, in order to be able to teach Nature Study and school gardening more effectively.

TALKS ON COTTON

Prof. Griffing followed with an interesting account of the progress that has been made in improving Chinese cotton and modifying American cotton for use in China. It was suggested that such schools as can secure farm land may well solve the problem of self help by introducing the scientific cultivation of cotton. This has worked well in Nanking.

Dr. W. W. Peter, of the Council on Health Education outlined a campaign for the Conservation of Vision in Chinese schools. This is made possible through the generosity of the American Red Cross. Plans were also presented for an anti-fly campaign to take place through all the schools during April.

The morning session closed with a devotional service conducted by Dr. Walter Lowrie.

AFTERNOON SESSION

"Radical Thought among Chinese Students" was the title of a most interesting paper prepared largely by Rev. R. Y. Lo, Ph.D. and read by Rev. Paul Hutchinson. This paper showed the amazing unrest in Chinese intellectual circles, stimulating the old rationalistic thought of Chinese scholars to challenge practically all the customary social sanctions. The astonishing crop of magazines published even in vernacular propose all sorts of social reforms, and are widely read by more mature students. This radical thought has influenced Mission schools as well as others and religious beliefs of all sort are being challenged and studied. Such an alert attitude of mind is to be valued for its independent thinking, but needs the guidance of a dynamic faith on the part of sympahtetic teachers.

In the report of the Kiangsu Educational Association given by Dr. P. W. Kuo, there was described a central laboratory for teaching science, located near the West Gate, Shanghai, and used by a number of Higher Primary schools in the city. Student self government has also been stimulated by a union comprising Middle Schools and schools of higher standing.

REORGANISATION PLAN

After considerable discussion the following plan for reorganisation of the Association was adopted:

I. That we approve the principle of organising the East China Educational Association in three sections, that is, College, Middle School, and Primary, and recommend to the incoming Executive Committee that the program for next year's meeting be worked out along the lines of one or two days of sectional conference as above, and a third day of conference as a whole.

II. That we approve of a budget of at least Mex. $6,000 for a secretary of the Association.

III. That a representative committee of seven to be known as the organisation Committee be appointed with power:

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2. To determine the basis upon which this should be apportioned to the various institutions.
3. To select a secretary and secure his loan by his Mission on the understanding that the Association shall assume his full support after not more than two years.

In the evening the Association delegates were the guests of the Union Church Literary and Social Guild at a Moving picture entertainment.

The session for this morning includes reports of committees and the final business.

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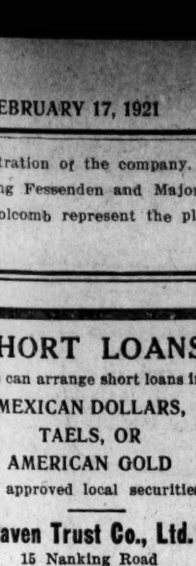

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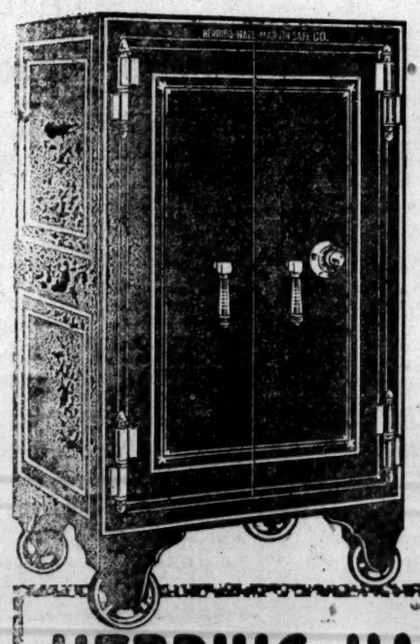

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Appropriation Bill Passed; Disarmament Move Defeated

(Reuter's Service)
(U.S. Navy Radio Through Reuter)

Washington, Feb. 15.—The House of Representatives has passed the Naval Appropriation Bill, providing a total of $395,000,000.

An amendment requiring that President Harding call a disarmament conference before the appropriations for construction should be available was defeated, as also a second amendment to cut the building program to fifty million dollars. The appropriation of ninety millions for new construction was approved.

Mr. Dickinson, one of the members from Iowa, proposed that the Bill be recommitteed and the appropriation for naval construction reduced to seven million dollars, but this, too, was defeated.

The Fortification Appropriations Bill, which will be reported to the House of Representatives tomorrow, carries appropriations amounting to eight million dollars.

It provides for a continuation of the sixteen-inch gun program of coast defense in the United States, Hawaii and Panama. The appropriations amount to twenty-seven million dollars less than the amount asked by the War Department, and ten millions less than those for 1920. Among the requests denied are an appropriation for the establishment of an air base in the Philippines and another for the location of additional air squadrons in the Canal Zone and Hawaii.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Continuing his fight for disarmament, Senator Borah has introduced an Amendment to the Appropriations Bill, requesting the President to call a conference comprising Great Britain, Japan and the United States, with a view to substantially reducing naval construction for the next five years.

MUTT & JEFF — We'll Say Jeff Is Some Little Observer — By Bud Fisher

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THAT'S QUITE TRUE! I'VE DONE SOME OBSERVING MYSELF AND I KNOW!
I'VE NOTICED THAT WHEN A MAN HAS ONE LEG SHORTER THAN THE OTHER, NATURE ALWAYS COMPENSATES HIM BY MAKING THE OTHER LEG LONGER!
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Law Of Henry VIII Called Into Play In Gambling Case

A statute of King Henry VIII was called into operation in the British Police Court yesterday when Magistrate G. W. King dealt with a charge of gambling brought against an Indian named Ahmed who was arrested in a raid made on a gambling establishment at 707 Wuchang Road. Two Japanese who were taken in the raid have been sentenced to 10 days imprisonment by the Japanese Consular Court and an unregistered Dane will appear before the Mixed Court. Thirty-three Chinese, including the proprietor, have been dealt with already by that court.

In commenting on the case Mr. King said that gambling in itself was not an offense in olden times but starting with a statute of Henry VIII certain games were made illegal and if there were played anywhere it was an offense. Other statutes for other games were added from time to time. It was always an offense under the common law to conduct a public gaming house and the proprietor was liable to heavy penalties. People who went there only to gamble could be dealt with under the statute of Henry VIII. They were the people who went "to have a flutter," and if they made a clean breast of it and assisted the police the latter would not proceed against them.

In the present case the Magistrate rejected the defendant's statement that he had gone there merely from curiosity and he proposed dealing with him under the statute mentioned and would bind him over in his own recognisance of $20 not to frequent gaming houses in future under pain of forfeiting that sum and more in addition.

TO ISSUE LOAN MARCH 1

(Reuter Pacific Service)

Canton, Feb. 15.—The recently authorised domestic loan of five million dollars for reconstruction purposes is to be issued on March 1. It is proposed to issue industrial bonds to the extent of two million dollars for the development of industries on the Island of Hainan, but the matter has not yet come before the Provincial Assembly.

Ships Halted By Typus In New York

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 16.—The Daily Telegraph correspondent at New York states that, owing to the typhus scare, the Government has ordered that all ships arriving at New York must be twelve days out from a foreign port before they may land passengers. This means that trans-Atlantic liners will be quarantined for six days.

MANY CHANGES IN MUNICIPAL STAFF

Changes in the Municipal Staff given in extracts from the order books for the fortnight ending Saturday, Feb. 12 are as follows:

Police Department.—Long leave is granted to Sergeant J. Knight from February 15.

Constable K. Kaida is discharged, invalided from February 1.

Long leave is granted to Sergeants R. J. Crouch and W. J. MacDermott from March 7.

Health Department.—Mr. E. Sundblad is appointed temporarily as inspector from January 31.

Public Works Department.—The appointment of Assistant Inspector C. McGillivray is confirmed under an agreement from September 23, 1920, terminable at three months' notice.

Mr. J. N. Sutter is appointed assistant inspector on probation from February 12.

Electricity Department.—Mr. T. H. U. Aldridge, engineer-in-chief and manager, resumes charge of the Electricity Department on January 31.

Mr. E. A. Mills is appointed superintendent electrical engineer under agreement from January 30.

Mr. C. R. Webb is appointed assistant mains engineer under agreement from January 30.

Educational Department.—Miss J. Philip is re-engaged temporarily as assistant mistress in the Public School for Boys from February 1.

Mr. J. Moffat is appointed assistant master in the Public School for Chinese under agreement from January 30.

Mrs. L. Brooks is appointed temporarily as assistant mistress in the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys from January 28.

Finance Department.—Messrs. J. W. Morcher and A. G. P. Dewing are appointed assistants on three months' probation from February 1.

Revenue Office.—Mr. N. Webb is re-engaged as collector on three months' probation from February 15.

News Brevities

Notifications have been issued by the Commissioner of Police to motor car owners generally informing them that in future the ranking or parking of motor vehicles for an extended period (except on the authorised vehicle stands) in the following roads is prohibited:

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Mr. Louis Ladow, of the Carlton Cafe, is a patient at the General hospital where he will submit to an operation on Saturday.

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Miss Eileen and Miss Hilda Newcomb, Mr. and Mrs. S. Green, are among the passengers who sail for London this morning on the Blue Funnel Line steamer, Mentor, A. J. S. Stearn is booked for Hongkong. The Mentor is due to sail at 8 a.m.

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The eighth musical afternoon which was given by Gerard Zalsman yesterday at the Carlton Cafe was well attended and a well arranged program enjoyed. Mr. Zalsman was assisted by Mesdames Zalsman and Dixcon, Misses Shepherd, Ware and Bate and Messrs. Bell, Maitland, Dingle and Lunt. Mr. Morrison, who was to have taken part on the program, was suffering from a severe cold, and his solos were sung by Mr. Zalsman.

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Mr. G. C. Friedgen and Mr. G. E. Fowler were among the passengers who departed on the Sakaki Maru for Dairen yesterday.

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An illustrated lantern lecture, "The Fairy Land of Nippon," was enjoyed by a large audience at the meeting of the Union Church Literary and Social Guild last night. The photographs were taken by Mr. Hindson and colored by a Japanese artist.

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The Navy Ball to be given by the officers and men of the U. S. S. New Orleans tomorrow night at the Astor House promises to be a very successful affair. Four hundred invitations have been issued to members of the foreign community. A grand march will be held at ten o'clock and dinner will be served at eleven. The ball room of the Hotel is to be decorated by the men and the music for the dancing will be furnished by the Astor House Orchestra.

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The Chinese Christian College Alumni Association will hold its annual meeting and fellowship dinner at the Great Eastern Hotel tomorow evening. Dr. C. T. Wang will preside and Mr. David Z. T. Yui will give an address.

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The Rotary Club will meet at tiffin today at the Astor House. All members are urged to be present.

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Professor H. P. Shastri will speak on "The Way To Perfection" at the meeting of the Theosophical Society to be held in the Central Building, 7A Ezra Road, Saturday, February 19, at 5:45 p.m. The public is invited.

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The appointment of Dr. Wang Chi-chang for the Presidency of the Kiangsu Provincial Medical College, Soochow, was issued several days ago by the Educational Bureaux of Kiangsu. Dr. Wang took up his duty on 12th inst. following the dismissal of Mr. Tsao Ven-sen, the former President of the College and the Director of the Kiangsu Provincial Hospital, on an arraignment made by the faculty of the school. Mr. Wang is a physician well known in Shanghai. Dr. Wang was also appointed to be the director of the Kiangsu Provincial Hospital, Soochow.

Geddes And Sze On Way To Washington

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 15.—Sir Auckland Geddes and Mr. Alfred Sze, the newly-appointed Chinese Minister to Washington, have sailed for New York.

CHINESE GIVEN TIMBER GRANT NEAR MANILA

Philippine Lumber Company Plans Expansion, Paul N.S. Lee Now In Shanghai

A timber concession of 60 square miles, located 200 miles south of Manila, has been granted to a group of Chinese capitalists who have formed the Philippine Lumber Company. The concession has a thirty years supply of tropical hardwood trees and is accessible by rail and water.

The company is controlled by Chinese capital and the managers are Chinese who have graduated from American and Philippine Colleges.

Mr. Paul N. S. Lee, associate superintendent, is now in Shanghai for the purpose of establishing an agency for the company and to investigate the market conditions relative to the timber demands. He will probably also tender a bid for the immediate needs of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway.

The saw mill of the company is equiped with modern machinery and has a daily capacity for 60,000 to 80,000 board feet. There is a railway lighting power plant, an ice plant and motion picture theater for the employees.

POINCARE ELECTED

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Paris, Feb. 16.—Ex-President Poincare has been elected President of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Senate. He received eighteen votes, while ten were cast in favor of the retiring President M. de Selves.

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BADGER FIRS SCORES

Mudhole Hooks Bonar As Starter And Then Grabs Many Others

By Dismal Jimmy

And it is written that the first shall be last and the last shall be first. Thus it came to pass yesterday at the 'unt held at 4.30 p.m. Expectation had been rife that there would be very few starters, so each bold buccanneer, disappointed of his loot so far this season, bethought himself now was the time to pluck victory from elusive Fate, get him on his best horse, and sallied forth to the fray.

Is it not the Bard of Avon who saith:

"There is a tide in the affairs of men
"Which taken at the turn, leads on to greatness"

But O! Ho. What is this? Everybody had had the same thought! All the bold bad riders were present, without exception, and all the finest bonies in the country were out, too. Too bad. And the moral of it all is "No cheap 'unts for anybody" except perhaps in the consolation 'unt on Saturday.

So there they were, every man jack of them: Potter and Sparke, and Beith, and Cox and Lester, he of the heavy weight. All the Jardine staff were out in force, o course, also the Hongkong Bank. The brokers counted scarce a man missing from either bulls or bears and only that of Reiss and Com pany seemed to be not quite com plete. The water and gas services had of course been specially suspended for the occasion.

ON TO BADGED FIRS

So at False.

Fahwa Line there they were, and at 4:30 p.m. Master Potter addressed them in his dulcet tones, reminding them that he didn't know in the least where they were going but the paper would be red and white, and there was a big dry cu somewhere in store for them. So helter skelter, they all gallope down the line, tumbled somehow over the various Chinese grave on route, squashed through th wade at the top, jostled each other on or off Vincent Smith's Bridge, (as the case might be), and ran to find their fate at Badger Firs!

For here it was that a veritable mudhole presented itself, deep, black, and bottomless as the pit o Tophet! The luckless Bonar bought it first, his pink coat slimed from head to foot, while ponie wallowed and stuck in frenzied effort to get their legs and bodies out of the messy ooze that dragged them down.

Some tried higher up and some tried lower down, but the result was the same, and the would be pioneers shared the fate of the first bunch, and wallowed in inky sludge. Eventually the 'Master went off over a good stone bridge at the side, and with him went the major part of the 'unt, leaving the unfortunates behind as the cat leaves the flies on the tanglefoot paper.

For now the 'unt was in full cry up the Pleasant Quarters Lipe, and after a little bit of railway line at the top, specially laid for some body, there came a wade of the Old Handicap Creek, and the 'unt went on up the Verman Line. There was a check at the top till paper was found over the reedy dry cut at the side, then another check at the Warren Road, where a lot o riders went towards Hungjao, only to be brought back eventually to Warren Line.

SCHULZ SCORES AGAIN

The big jump known as the 'Big Schulz' speedily got filled up with victims, and then came Pons, Panama and Marah, with a crossing of the Hungjao Road near Ben bow's Finish, which was very big, very wide, and very deep. There was some mess up here, as the jump could not be taken standing, and nobody would make room for anybody else. Eventually those that got through or over got away with a yell of triumph, only to be brought up standing a few yards beyond with another check.

Paper was soon found however leading through the Wilderness to Artery Creek Double Platforms where all the 'unt overran the platforms, and Ye Master and Ye Scribbler got a good slant which they held as far as Drakeford's Dry Cut and then lost again. For, after a brief check, paper was found away on the right, and went practically straight from there to the finish on Perrott's Line.

NO HEAVY WEIGHT IN

The going had been excellent, and the 'unt was quite a good one, and was well laid. The sun, so low on the horizon, at the late hour

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SNAPE IS WINNER OF "A" CLASS IN MARITIME SHOOT

Kennedy Best In "B" Class; Jensen Wins Competition For Old Shots

The February monthly cup shoot of the maritime Company, S.V.C., took place on Sunday at 11 a.m. Conditions were ideal. Ranges 200, 300 and 500 yards; Bisley one sighter and seven scoring shots. Results as under:

"AI" Class

Sergeant Snape	90 A
Sergant Tobias	88
A. 3rd leg on cup. Future handicap 15 percent.	

"A" Class

Gunner Evans	87

No competition, no spoon awarded, score below average.

"B" Class

Gunner Kennedy	69 B
Gunner Anesman	58
Gunner Levenspiel	45

B. 2nd leg on cup, future handicap 10 percent.

Two pool competitions were also shot for. The conditions were one sighter and seven shots to count, 200 yards Bisley.

Excellent scores were made, the first competition for old shots was won by Gunner Jenson with a score of 34. Capt. Dixon, who made the same score, was counted out. Gunner kennedy won the Recruit pool with a score of 32.

Rowing Club Beats Public School Five In Basketball Game

The Rowing Club last night defeated the Public School basketball team in the greatest game seen in the Foreign League this season. The Club won by a single point and had the game continued five minutes longer the schoolboys might have turned the tables for they certainly came hard and fast in the second period. The final score was 36-35. The Rowing Club led in the first half by a 20-11 score. In the second period the Public School scored 24 points to the Club's 16.

Rowing Club 36	Public School 35
Lewis	lf Coulcher
Johansson	rf Bell
Glauque	c Day, L.
Mahon	lg Day, G.
Caccia	rg Nash

Goals from floor: Lewis, 8; Coulcher, 7; L. Day, 6; Johannson, 6; Bell, 5; Glauque, .

Goals from fouls: Glauque, 3.

Time—two 20-minute periods. Referee—Gray.

Timer—Jackson. Scorer—Chase.

fixed, was certainly a bit of a trouble, and was undoubtedly the cause of many of the falls, as oonies did not see the jumps till they were into them. The 'Big Schultz though it speedily filled up till there was 'Standing Room Only' was certainly not laid, as paper was found clear and distinct over the ordinary jump at the side. The run was not a long one, and was over in about forty minutes. Mr. N. L. Sparke won on Wild Cat and deserves his win, as he has tried hard this season There was no heavyweight in, and the card reads as follows:

Won—N. L. Sparke on Wild Cat.
2—V. B. Caarten on Four Dollars.
3—C. N. Davis on Cluister.
4—J. Liou on Oldsmobile.
5—H. S. Hine on Liability.
6—J. S. Bauld on Yulcanite.

Soccer Football Saturday

First Division

	Referee
Recs vs. St. Xaviers at Recs Field	Fulton
Police vs. S. F. C. at Police Ground	Boyling
Second Division	
Recs vs. Public School at Hongkew	Strutt
Navy vs. S.F.C. at S.F.C. Ground	Hampson
Customs vs. Internationals at Hongkew	Jones
Elec. Dept. vs. St. Xaviers at W. Mon.	Bridges
Engineers vs. Navy at Polo Ground	Stormes
Rangers vs. Police at Widows Monument	Baker

Tsingtao Japanese Training For Far Eastern Olympic; Academy Will Send Athletes

Dr. Arthur F. Torrance, President Of T.U.P.A., Urges Appointment Of Representative In Tsingtao To Aid Far East Games Committee

Tsingtao University Preparatory Academy will probably send representatives, both from the faculty and student body, to the open meet to be held in connection with the Far Eastern Championship Games which will start in Shanghai on May 30. The new term begins on March fifth and training will start the following week at the Academy.

The Academy hopes to send a baseball team to Shanghai and is also planning to entertain the Leland Stanford University Baseball team when the collegians reach the Far East this Summer.

Dr. Arthur F. Torrance, president of the Academy, believes that the China Committee of the Far Eastern Athletic Association should be represented in Tsingtao. In a letter he says:

"In regard to the Far Eastern Olympics, I do not know how to bring the matter properly to the right people, but it seems to me that Tsingtao should be represented on the committee on arrangements or the sports committee. There are several schools here—Chinese, Japanese and of course ours, which is really a foreign school devoted to the children of Occidents.

"I know that the Japanese schools are training to send representatives and the Chinese are becoming interested also. I would therefore suggest that some person who is known here be appointed either as a member of the committee or to work in conjunction with it in making arrangements."

Baden Powell Boy Scouts

Orders for Week ending Feb. 26

Public School Troop: Thursday, Feb. 24. Parade at headquarters at 4 p.m. Full uniform. Exams. for acting patrol leaders and seconds.

Saturday, Feb. 26.—Parade at headquarters at 2:30 p.m. Field work.

Orderly patrol peewits (P/1 C. Brown).

Orderly officer: Asst. Scoutmaster Bennett.

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Cathedral School Troop: Thursday, Feb. 24. Parade at headquarters at 5:00 p.m. Full uniform.

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Thomas Hanbury Troop: British boys, 15 minutes drill daily under P/Ls Peewit, Hound, and Eagle patrols. Lion Patrol, Friday afternoon, drill. Crow and Fox patrols, Russian Scouts, 15 minutes drill daily under P/L's.

Wednesday. Patrol leaders' camp fire yarn by Scoutmaster A. G. Jacobs at 5 p.m.

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Wolf Cubs: Monday and Tuesday: drill—Wednesday: Lecture—First and Second Bits. Thursday and Friday: games. Saturday. Camp (whole day if not raining).

Syllabus for week: Requirements for the First Star Cubs' law.

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French School Troop: Tuesday: Parade at headquarters in full uniform, and or Scout hat and overcoat under P/L Dallas. Tenderfoot instruction.

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The past week has been one of great progress. A new scoutmaster has been obtained for the Thomas Hanbury Troop, Mr. A. G. Jacobs, who has had past experience in Scout work in Shanghai. We extend a hearty welcome to Mr. Jacobs and hope that the will thoroughly enjoy his work amongst the scouts of the Hanbury Troop.

A fine letter has been received from the Rotary Club offering assistance in every direction and on behalf of the Shanghai Association of B. P. Scouts we wish to thank this self sacrificing Club for all they are going to do for the Scouts of Shanghai.

The annual meeting of the Scout Council was held in the Church House with Dean Symons in the chair and the reports received from the various troops showed that the prospects for 1921 were very rosy indeed. New members are to be invited to sit on the Scout Council to take the place of those who have recently gone home; a piece of land is to be acquired as a permanent camp for the scouts, thanks to the kind help of the Dean; Scoutmaster S. Hore has undertaken the combined duties of secretary and treasurer to the Association for one year and there is news that the French School Troop will soon have Scoutmaster Looker back from Hankow to take charge of them—on the whole a most promising outlook indeed.

Offers are still needed from gentlemen who would care to help the scouts for a couple of hours a week, four Assistant Scoutmasters being required for the various troops.

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F. C. Millington.
District Scoutmaster
B. P. Scouts, Shanghai.

BASEBALL CLUB MEETS TOMORROW AT CARLTON CAFE

Plea Is Made For Large Attendance As Important Business Will Be Up

The annual general meeting of the Shanghai Amateur Baseball Club will be held at the Carlton Cafe tomorrow afternoon at 5:30 o'clock and Secretary Johnny Potter asks that it be impressed on all who are looking towards a real baseball season, to be present at the session.

One of the most important matters to be discussed is the proposal that the Baseball Club act as the nucleus of an American sports organisation which will govern all phases of athletics in which the Americans take part here.

The formation of the Liberty Club means that more interest will be taken in American athletics and with the two organisations co-operating effectively, Yankees will have something to do from October to May other than basketball and twiddling of thumbs.

The Baseball Club will elect officers and discuss plans for the coming season after the reports of officers have been received.

INTERNATIONAL BASKETBALL IS NOW PROPOSED

Series Suggested Would Bring Six Nations Out With Strong Quintets

GIAUQUE STARTS MOVE

Aims To Have United States, England, Canada, Korea, China And Portugal In

An international basketball series, with six and possibly more teams entered, is proposed by President Charley Giauque of the Shanghai Foreign Basketball League. The proposition calls for a series of games to follow the closing of the Foreign League, which winds up its season on March 15th. England, the United States, China Portugal, Canada and Korea could enter teams.

The Americans would have a strong quintet with Gray, McCloy, Haskell, Glauque, Irle, Jackson and a host of others to pick from and would probably be the strongest team in the series although England, with the Rowing Club team intact, would be represented by an aggregation which has been together all the season. And the Rowing Club is leading the Foreign League at present.

CHINA IS STRONG

The Chinese Y.M.C.A. five, which has been beaten but once this year and then by a crack all-star lineup of foreigners, could well look after China's interests in the series and if the Y.M.C.A. needed more strength, the services of H. C. Feng of Shanghai College and C. H. Tyau of St. John's University could be enlisted.

Geldart and Westaway offer a nucleus for a Canadian five, a Portuguese team has been formed recently and will be in shape for the proposed series, and Sheu, the tall Korean at Nanyang College, could be depended upon to organise a quintet.

The movement deserves support and will create interest in the game here. It will start a series which could easily be arranged each year and follows along the lines established in other sports, such as soccer football, billiards and others.

Team managers are urged to consider the matter as Giauque desires to make an early start with arrangements. Entries should be sent to C. D. Giauque, 200 North Szechuen Road, or the Sporting Editor of THE CHINA PRESS.

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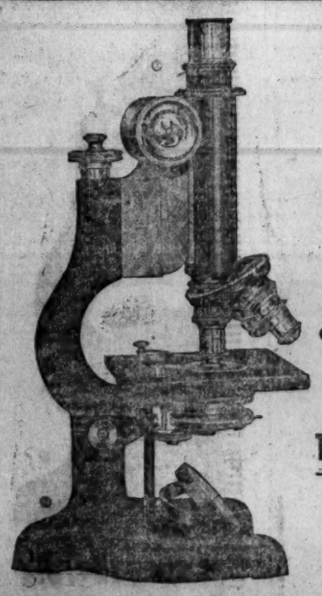

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PARIS SCIENTISTS STILL PUZZLED BY MYSTICAL POWER

Coulon, American Boxer, Subject Of Report To Academy Of Sciences

IMITATORS NUMEROUS

Champion Weight Lifter Is Foiled As Well As Many Kinds Of Theorists

Paris, Dec. 25.—Johnny Coulon, an American boxer, has held the limelight in Paris affairs for sometime now while the greatest French savants are trying to explain why the nation's strongest men are unable to lift him a hair's breadth off the floor once Coulon touches them lightly behind the ear and on the right pulse.

After exhaustive experiments before the medical faculty the theory that any mechanical interference such as displacement of the center of gravity has been definitely discarded by doctors and physicists who are almost ready to believe they are on the eve of new discoveries in powers of inhibition or objective suggestion which are possessed by everyone but have never before been noticed.

Only one husky Frenchman, Cadine, the Olympic champion weight lifter, has so far been able to budge Coulon. This feat is explained by the latter as "intentional," as he did not want to damage Cadine's reputation.

Charles Nordmann, the great military mathematician, who personally conducted a score of experiments, discards the gravity hypothesis, as he found Coulon was just as immovable when the fullest force was applied as when merely touched. M. Nordmann inclines to the belief that it is a question of the projection of will power, as he noticed that when the boxer at a given signal ceased to exert his will he was lifted with the utmost ease, although he had not changed the position of his fingers.

ACADEMY WILL GET REPORT

Dr. Ruffier, one of the earliest interested in this physical phenomenon, noticed on certain occasions that a similar result was obtained when he held merely a sheet of paper or a towel between Coulon and the lifters. The thoroughness of the scientific inquiry which has been made is shown by M. Nordmann's report, which will be transmitted to the Academy of Sciences next month. He shows that Coulon remained riveted to the floor even when the lifter formed the central figure in a chain of six or eight spectators, the subject touching merely the persons who formed the extreme ends of the chain.

This, he believes, proved conclusively that there was no question of jiu jitsu being involved, as Coulon was not in contact with the person against whom his will was exerted. There also is believed to be a peculiar lack of co-ordination of will power in the finger pressure, as even after the pressure was released Coulon could not be lifted for several seconds. Electrical experts explain this as indicating a new type of self-instruction. Even when the lifter was placed behind Coulon in the above mentioned chain formation the result was always the same.

"We are undoubtedly in the presence of a force both psychical and physical in a new category of phenomena not hitherto observed," says M. Nordmann. "Personally I do not believe the force to be electrical, but at the same time I must admit it is a force not even slightly resembling anything recorded by the world's scientists in recent centuries."

FENCING EXPERT FOILED

Prof. d'Arsonville of the College of France, who first canned liquid air, has followed the recent investigations closely, but has not yet advanced a hypothesis. He is inclined to agree with Dr. Ruffier as well as with Renaud, the fencing expert, who points out that the force is not of the jiu jitsu type, as neither pressure, sudden shock nor interference with the circulatory system is involved. And as it is not a question of voluntary hypnotism, as Coulon does not respond to any ordinary psychical tests of this nature, it is believed that the future will reveal an ability in every one to direct physical force without exertion, merely by the projection of mind power.

An interesting phase in this thesis is found in the suggestion of certain doctors that Coulon's discovery may even result in the explanation of ancient incidents where vital force restored invalids merely by the laying on of hands, which was used with great effect in the early days of the Christian era and even by certain practitioners in America's early history.

Coulon's one regret is that he failed to make use of his power on the stage before he started the present sensation. He has suffered himself to be grasped by sinewy hands at least a thousand times since he first made his declaration. His sides have been painfully crushed and grazed almost to the bleeding point after some experiments when investigators anxiously tried to alter his equilibrium by the excessive squeezing of the short ribs.

But if Coulon is not gaining by his experience, other French actors are not letting the grass grow under their feet. At least five vaudeville theaters already have billed for next week so-called strong men, who defy the audiences to lift them off the boards a la Coulon. Meanwhile interest in Coulon's feat is growing so fast that it is not uncommon to see passengers in subways demonstrating that they are as good as Coulon.

RED LEADERS IN PARIS ARRESTED

Wide Spread Activities Of Communists Broken Up By Police

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 16.—Paris telegrams indicate that French trade unionists are revolting against communism.

Documents seized at the offices of the Communist Federation in Paris have resulted in the arrest of Laporte, the secretary of the Federation, and Williams, the manager of the Communist newspaper, who are accused of inciting soldiers to disobedience and of conducting anarchist propaganda. The papers seized show that anti-militarist agitators in France have been campaigning with the object of detaching the French Colonies from the Mother Country.

A similar campaign has been started in some British Colonies and Protectorates.

Paris, Feb. 15.—The police authorities are actively engaged in investigating an alleged communist plot to start a revolutionary agitation in both France and Italy on May 1.

The police have succeeded in establishing the fact that the person who calls himself Dr. Zalevski is a Soviet agent, he having been sent to Paris from the Central Propaganda Bureau in Berlin, with funds equivalent to £8,000 at par deposited with an American bank. Several arrests have been made in various provincial centers in connection with the futile attempts to start an anti-militarist propaganda.

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Find White Marmots In The Swiss Alps

Dug Out While Hibernating After Attempts All Summer To Capture Them

Berne, Jan. 25.—During the Summer Alpine guides reported having seen snow white animals looking like marmots. At first they thought the creatures must be white hares, but then the unmistakeable shrill whistle of the marmot was heard.

During the Summer every effort made to capture one was unsuccessful. They were seen in Urirothstrock chain at a height of 8,000 feet, and now after considerable trouble Alpine guides have managed to dig out some. It appears that the marmots are not what are known as Albinos, that is with dark nose and eyes. They are freaks and except in color of fur do not differ from ordinary marmots.

They were found in a hibernating state with all their vital energies almost entirely suspended. Their coats, which are very soft and thick, are absolutely snow white so that the guides are now searching every likely place for burrows to obtain skins, for which fur dealers offer high prices, besides which all mountain dwellers consider marmot's fat a sovereign remedy for rheumatism and other ills.

It is known that Swiss Alpine marmots hibernate in colonies which sometimes include fifteen animals, but as their burrows are often very deep and above the snow line, are hard to discover. In the opinion of one fur dealer, white marmot's skin may become the most expensive fur, especially as the animals are in Winter about half as large again as the beaver. The public, however, demand that all white marmots captured should be transferred to the Swiss National Park, and thus the species be not only preserved but fostered as a possible source of profit.

This is the first time white marmots have been found in the Alps. One guide received an offer of 2,000f. by an American visitor in a Winter sports place for two live white marmots of different sexes, which he is anxious to take to New York. Among the Winter sports visitors to Switzerland this Christmas are some expert mountaineers who have engaged guides and hope to make high ascents in search of white marmots.

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The Navy will have a strong representation as the Cruiser Curlew is in port along with the Foxglove and Kinsha. The Curlew alone is able to field a very powerful side fresh from many triumphs at Hongkong where she finished well up the list in the Hongkong League Table. As the Curlew leaves port on the February 25, this will be the only occasion when her players will be seen locally this season.

The team of ex-service men to represent Shanghai has not yet been selected but will be drawn from the following:

G. F. Powers (R.F.C), R. H. Tomlinson (R.F.C), A. Knox (Royal Scots), T. W. R. Wilson (A. & S. Highlanders), J. A. Quayle (L.C.) A. McLean (London Scottish) J. Xavier (French Infantry), W. J. Brown (R.G.A.) W. W. Kay (Gordon Highlanders), G. F. Norris (Canadian Infantry), J. Adams (L.C.), J. Macdonald (Seaforths) J. R. Weeks (Yorks), T. S. Wade (Yorks, J. S. Flood (L. N. Lancs), S. H. Kerr (R.F.C), D. E. M. Drummond (Scotch Guards) R. B. Roach (Tank Corps).

It will be seen that nearly every arm of the service will be represented including a French Infantryman.

Given favorable weather there is every prospect of a great encounter and a fine exhibition of the game and it is hoped that all those who find it possible will endeavor to be present to espouse so good a cause as St. Dunstan's.

In last year's match it will be remembered that the Army won after a finely contested game by 2-1. On that occasion the Navy was represented by H. M. S. Hawkins, which team has been beaten this season by H. M. S. Curlew.

Australians Win Four Test Matches

(Reuter's Service)

Melbourne, Feb. 16.—The Australians, who had scored 92 runs for two wickets overnight in the final innings of the test match, today brought their total up to 211 without further loss, and thereby won the match—the fourth in succession. Ryder made 52 not out and Gregory 76, not out. Inning totals:

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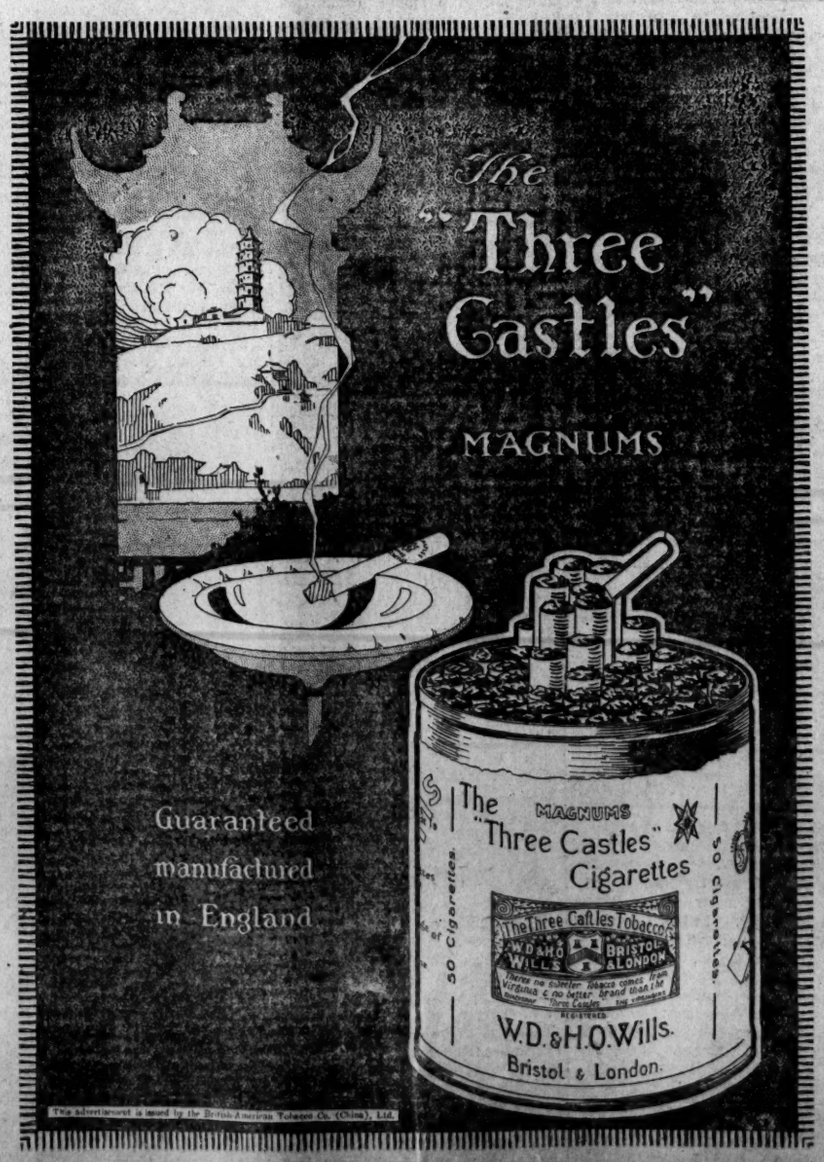

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Mr. Van Rooyen, whose address is 37 Lighthouse Street, Galle, Ceylon, says:—"My son Alfred, aged 14, suffered badly for six years from Eczema on both his legs and feet. It started by a redness of the skin and a most irritating itching. Afterwards small sores formed which we had great difficulty in keeping him from scratching. The Eczema spread in an alarming manner, being especially severe between the toes.

"Ointments and other medicines were prescribed but seemed to give no relief at all. The irritation prevented the poor boy from getting proper rest at night and he got exceedingly weak and rundown. Medical men said that his blood was in most impoverished condition.

"Reading of a similar case having been cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I bought a supply of these Pills for my son. From the first we found they were very efficient, as almost at once the irritation began to subside. And as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills purified and built up his blood so the sores dried up until they disappeared altogether. He was able to sleep properly at night and regained his health and strength. I attribute my son's cure entirely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He has had no return of the skin eruptions since."

Sold by medicine vendors everywhere, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale people are also obtainable, post free, 1 bottle for $1.50, 6 bottles for $8/—, from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., 96 Szechuen Road, Shanghai.

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MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 2809.

Election of Councillors and Land Commissioner.

Notice is hereby given that the following nine Ratepayers, having been duly nominated, are, in accordance with the terms of Article XVIII of the Land Regulations, considered to be elected as Councillors for the Municipal year 1921.

Messrs. M. BENJAMIN
S. FESSENDEN
H. H. GIRARDET
H. A. MACINTYRE
E. F. MACKAY
Dr. S. A. RANSOM
Messrs. S. SAKURAGI
H. G. SIMMS
A. BROOKE SMITH

Notice is hereby also given that Mr. E. C. Pearce, having been duly nominated by land-owners, is in accordance with Article VIA of the Land Regulations, considered to be elected as Land Commissioner for the Municipal year 1921.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary.

COUNCIL ROOM,
Shanghai, February 10, 1921.
35576

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NOTICE

Mr. E. B. Rose having retired from our firm, the business will henceforth be carried on under the name of Fessenden and Holcomb.

STIRLING FESSENDEN,
CHAUNCEY P. HOLCOMB.

Shanghai, 12th February, 1921.
35604

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Notice to Consignees

Examination of ship-damaged cargo ex the above steamer will be held at the Robert Dollar Wharf on Thursday, February 17th, at 9.30 a.m., when Messrs. Eisler & Reeves, Marine Surveyors, will be in attendance.

THE ADMIRAL LINE, Agents.
35641

BASEBALL
Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Shanghai Amateur Baseball Club will be held in the Carlton Cafe on Friday afternoon, February 18th, shortly after five o'clock. The business will consist of election of officers and plans for the coming season, including special baseball-series, treasurer's reports, etc. In the absence of the President, Dr. N. L. Downs, the meeting will be called to order by R. D. Bunn. Members are urged to attend this important meeting.

J. S. POTTER,
Secretary
35644

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HARBOUR NOTIFICATION
No. 4 of 1921.

Referring to Harbour Notification No. 3 of 1921, directing that all vessels from Hongkong and intermediate ports shall undergo fumigation on arrival at Shanghai unless they can show a fumigation certificate not more than three months old, NOTICE is hereby given that on and after the 18th instant all such steamers must present their fumigation certificate at the Clearance Desk before clearance will be granted.

H. G. MYHRE,
Harbour Master.

Approved:
E. GORDON LOWDER,
Commissioner of Customs.

Customs House,
Shanghai, 16th February, 1921.

35692

The Oriental Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.
SHANGHAI

NOTICE

The Fourth Annual General Meeting of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the offices of the General Managers of the Company, 6 Kiukiang Road, on Thursday, March 3rd, 1921 at 4 p.m., to receive the Report and Accounts of the Company for the year ended 31st, December 1920.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 28th February to the 3rd March, 1921, both days inclusive.

Proxies to be valid must be lodged at the Company's office not less than 48 hours before the time of holding the Meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors,
ARNHOLD BROTHERS & COMPANY, LTD.
General Managers.

35697

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35679

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35683

NOTICE

THE PUBLIC are hereby notified that, from the Lunar New Year—8th February, 1921—all transactions and contracts for purchases and exchange must be countersigned with the seal of the undersigned, without which, they will not be recognized.

VAN CHONG LEE.
利昌萬

35695

NOTICE

During re-building of our premises, 143 Bubbling Well Road, our store will be temporarily situated at Dombey & Son, Ltd.

THE SCOTCH BAKERY.
Tel. W. 970.

35701

Dr. F. M. Gensburger
P. P. C. 35690

NOTICE

IS hereby given that my eldest son, Mow Chi (許懋績), having become of age and being capable of earning his own living, will hereafter undertake his own business independent of the undersigned, who will not be responsible for any liability incurred by him.

SHU SOONG TSUNG
許松春

February 16, 1921 35664

DRAFTS LOST

Draft on the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, No. 14560/11/20, for Gold $6,000; also in Nederlandsch Indische Handelbank, Kobe, No. 14561/2/21, for Yen 2,500. Both are issued by the Nederlandsch Indische Handels Bank, Shanghai, and have been declared null and void.

Y. B. WONG.

35672

TENDERS

H. M. NAVAL AGENCY, SHANGHAI.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of the following articles to H. M. Ships and Hired Vessels at Shanghai, Woosung, Chinkiang, Nanking, Wuhu, Kiukiang, Hankow and Ichang, for one year from the First of April 1921.

Fresh Prime Ox Beef, to be supplied in quarters or as near thereto as possible. Beef supplied under this contract at Shanghai, Woosung, Chinkiang, Kiukiang and Hankow, to bear the first class quality stamp of the Municipal Slaughter House.

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Prices all to be made per pound (English Weight) in currency.

It is not necessary that the same contract should be accepted for all the articles. Firms, if they wish, may tender for Bread, Beef or Vegetables only; and for any one or more of the Ports mentioned above.

Forms of Tender, and conditions of Contract, may be obtained from the above Office—26 The Bund, (4th Floor).

All tenders for the supply of the above articles should be lodged at the Office mentioned above, in triplicate, and sealed, by NOON on SATURDAY the 26th February 1921.

The right of accepting the lowest, or any tender, or any portion of a tender, is reserved.

Shanghai, February 14th, 1921.

H. GYLES,
Paymaster Commander,
Naval Agent.

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35673

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35637

British Women's Association

A Meeting of the above projected Association will be held in the British Consulate on Friday, February 18th, when all women of British birth or nationality are most cordially invited to attend. Addresses as to the objects of the Association will be given and a draft of the proposed Constitution will be submitted for discussion by the meeting following which the enrolment of members will take place. The Chair will be taken by Lady Fraser at 5.30 p.m.

A. E. Peebles, Honorary Secretary (temporary) 585 Avenue Foch.

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NOTICE

The Robert Dollar Company will not be responsible for any debts incurred by any member of the crew of the s.s. "Esther Dollar."

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35703

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35694 F. 20.

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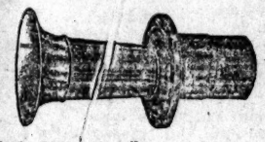

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35678 F. 22.

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35683 F. 17.

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35661 F. 18.

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35663 F.18.

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35656 M. 15.

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35487 F 18

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35699 F. 19.

TO LET, godown space: entire third floor, about 4,000 sq. ft. new building, situated on North Soochow Road. Immediate occupancy. Apply to Box 708, THE CHINA PRESS.

35685 F. 23.

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35694 F. 20.

TO LET, ground floor office and show-room, centrally located. Office furniture and fittings for sale. Apply to Box 699, THE CHINA PRESS.

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35434

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35436

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35430

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APARTMENTS VACANT

ATTIC room, furnished bathroom attached, to let, with board. Wayside district, $95 month. Apply to Box 717, THE CHINA PRESS.

35704 F. 23

Amusement Advertising will be found on Page 14

Classified Advertisements

All Advertisements must be prepaid. Replies must be called for.

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SITUATIONS WANTED

YOUNG MAN, 24, expert cost clerk, stenographer-correspondent and office assistant, desires engagement. Has complete knowledge of engineering and mercantile office routine (import). Only moderate salary required. References and well-recommended. Apply to Box 686, THE CHINA PRESS.

35600 F. 19.

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35631

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35617 F. 19.

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35622 F. 17.

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35577 F. 17.

SITUATIONS VACANT

Garage bookkeeper seeks engagement. Apply to Box 709, THE CHINA PRESS.

35688 F. 18.

WANTED, clerk with experience in accounting, typewriting and general office routine. Must be efficient. Apply, stating previous experience and salary desired, to Box 710, THE CHINA PRESS.

35691 F. 19.

WANTED, Chinese travelling salesman. Must have good connection amongst chemists and other dealers in foreign medicines. The work is hard but offers good prospects to an honest and capable man. References required, which will be strictly investigated. Security must also be furnished. Apply to Box 707, THE CHINA PRESS.

35684 F. 18.

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35700 F. 18.

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35670 F. 18.

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35658 F. 20.

WANTED, an American or a British teacher (male or female) to teach English in a Chinese school. State age and salary expected. Apply to Box 687, THE CHINA PRESS

35654 F. 17.

WANTED, a competent Chinese stenographer for position in large American firm at Tsinan. Apply to Box 677, THE CHINA PRESS.

35634 F. 17.

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35574 F. 17.

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35693 F. 23.

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35629

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35632

TO LET from 1st March, Wayside, furnished flat of two rooms, bathroom, verandah. Light, water, taxes free. Rent Tls. 40. Apply to Box 689, THE CHINA PRESS.

35660 F. 18.

TO LET, western district, plainly furnished six-roomed flat, furniture to be taken over $500. Rent $30 immediate entry. Apply to Box 634, THE CHINA PRESS.

35650 F. 17.

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35623 F. 17.

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35626 F. 17.

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35638 F. 17.

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35671 F. 17.

WANTED, furnished or otherwise, four rooms, kitchen and servants' quarters; two or three rooms, furnished or otherwise, all in central district. Apply to Box 692, THE CHINA PRESS.

35665 F. 19.

WANTED, furnished or unfurnished room with modern private bath, housekeeping privileges. Apply to Box 667, THE CHINA PRESS.

35619 F. 17.

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WANTED, furnished or unfurnished house, French or western section, immediate occupation if possible. Apply to Box 628, THE CHINA PRESS.

35554

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35618 F. 17.

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35619 F. 17.

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35705 F. 19.

LOST, English bull (bitch), in the vicinity of Mohawk Road. Finder will be rewarded if necessary. Apply to Box 693, THE CHINA PRESS.

35666 F. 18.

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35646 F. 17.

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35680 F. 23.

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35682 F. 19.

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35655 F. 22.

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35580

FOR SALE, Indian Powerplus motor-cycle, 10 h.p., a beautiful machine as new, used only a few weeks, tyres brand-new and guaranteed in perfect condition. Owner going home. For price and particulars, apply to Box 700, THE CHINA PRESS.

35675 F. 22.

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35667 F. 18.

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35642 F. 18.

LONGCLOTH, Horrockses' 36" long cloth No. 500, $22 per piece of 40 yards. Special quotation for quantities. Apply Probst, Hanbury & Co., Ld., No. 10 Nanking Road.

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WANTED, Ford touring car. Please give model, length of time in use, condition of car, etc., and lowest price for cash. Apply to Box 593, THE CHINA PRESS.

35457

WANTED to purchase residence in French town or western district, for occupation by family, location and full particulars must be given otherwise no attention given. Apply to Box 388, THE CHINA PRESS.

35431

WANTED to buy land for building several private houses, European section up to 30 mow, as a whole or in parts. Please give location, price, to Box 409, THE CHINA PRESS.

35432

WHITE CALICO, Landscape Chop. 34 inch by 40 yards. $13 per piece. Probst, Hanbury & Co., Ld., No. 10 Nanking Road.

35384 F. 15.

MADAPOLAM, Tootal's Sealed Madapolam No. T.33 and No. T.22, price $8 per piece of 12 yards. Apply Probst, Hanbury & Co., Ld., No. 10 Nanking Road.

35384 J 15

SHEETING, best quality 94" bed sheeting (Three Fish brand) pieces 44 yards, price $2.50 per yard (pieces only). A good opportunity for replenishing your sheets. Apply Probst, Hanbury & Co., Ld., No. 10 Nanking Road.

35384 J 15

NEEDLES, new RUSTLESS BETWEENS British sewing needles, just arrived, (sizes 0 to 12, price $3.00 per thousand). Sole Agents, Probst, Hanbury & Co., Ld., No. 10 Nanking Road.

35384 J 15

Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853.

Capital £3,000,000
Reserve Fund 3,500,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders £3,000,000

Head Office:
32 BISHOPSGATE, LONDON, E. C.

Court of Directors:
Sir Montagu Cornish Turner, Chairman
Sir Duncan Carmichael.
T. Cuthbertson, Esq.
Sir Alfred Dent, K.C.M.G.
Sir William Henry Neville Goschen, K.B.E.
The Rt. Hon. Lord George Hamilton, G.C.S.I.
Sir John Newall Jordan, P.C.K.C.I.E., K.C.B., K.C.M.G.
W. Foot Mitchell, Esq.
James Maxwell Grant Prophit, Esq.
Lewis Alexander Wallace, Esq.

Bankers:
The Bank of England.
The London Joint City & Midland Bank Limited.
The London County and Westminster and Parrs Bank, Ltd.
The National Provincial Bank of England, Limited.
The National Bank of Scotland, Limited.

Agencies and Branches:

Alor Star (Kedah)	Hongkong	Puket
Amritsar	Ipoh	Rangoon
Bangkok	Karachi	Saigon
Batavia	Klang	Seremban
Bombay	Kobe	Singapore
Calcutta	Kuala-Lumpur	Sourabaya
Canton	London	Tientsin
Cebu	(F. M. S.)	Tavoy
Colombo	Madras	(Lower Burma)
Delhi	Manila	Taiping
Cawnpore	Medan	New York
Haiphong	Peking	Yokohama
Hankow	Penang	

Shanghai Branch: 18 The Bund

Drafts granted on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought and received for collection. Travelling Letters of Credit issued and every description of Banking and Exchange business undertaken.

Interest allowed on Current Deposit Accounts, according to arrangement.

Fixed Deposits are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

C. J. SCOTT.
Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Francs.
Subscribed Capital .72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital 68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1/6/20) 69,500,000.00

Head Office:
15 bis, Rue Lafitte, Paris.

Branches and Agencies

Saigon	Pnom-Penh	Battambang
Haiphong	Hahoi	Tourane
Peking	Hankow	Tientsin
Hongkong	Canton	Mengtze
Singapore	Pondichery	Bangkok
Papeete	Shanghai	Noumea
	Djibouti	

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais.

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN, Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH
41 Kiangse Road.

Telephone C. 1941.
Telegraphic Address "Knabes."

Capital ..... Yen 10,000,000

Head office ..... Peking.
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.

Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T/T, Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie, etc., etc.

Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.

Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.

Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Foreign Agencies at Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.

Domestic Agencies at Tientsin, Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau, Dairen, Changchun, Mukden, Foochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.

Y. TSENG.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £1,500,000
Silver $23,000,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors $15,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG
Court of Directors:
Hon. Mr. E. V. D. Parr, Chairman.
A. H. Compton, Esq., Deputy Chairman.
G. M. Dodwell, Esq.
G. T. M. Odkins, Esq.
A. S. Gubbay, Esq.
Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak,
Hon. Mr. J. Johnstone.
A. O. Lang, Esq.
W. L. Pattenden, Esq.
J. A. Plummer, Esq.
Chief Manager.
Hongkong—A. G. STEPHEN.

Branches and Agencies:

Amoy	Ipoh	Penang
Bankok	Johore	Rangoon
Batavia	Kobe	Saigon
Bombay	Kuala	S. Francisco
Calcutta	Lumpur	Shanghai
Canton	London	Singapore
Colombo	Lyons	Sourabaya
Foochow	Malacca	Tientsin
Hankow	Manila	Tsingtao
Harbin	Nagasaki	Vladivostock
Hollo	New York	Yokohama
	Peking	

London Bankers:
London County Westminster and Parr's Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12, The Bund
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Local Bills Discounted

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa China, Japan and America.

G. H. STITT,
Actg. Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid) . 55,000,000
Reserve Fund 26,960,000
Capital Contributed by Chinese Government ..... Kup. Tls. 3,500,000
Reserve Fund 1,750,000

Head Office:
Paris, 9 Rue Boudreau.
London Office:
64 Old Broad Steet, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
Paris: Societe Generale pour favoriser le developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Milan: Credito Italiano.
Rome: Banco di Roma.
New York: The Irving National Bank.

FAR EASTERN BRANCHES:

Bombay	Hailar	Peking
Chanchun	Hankow	Shanghai
(Kwan-chendze)	Harbin	Tientsin
	Hongkong	Vladivostock
Chefoo	Manchouli	Yokohama
Dairen (Dalny)	Newchwang	Kobe
	Urumtchi	

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, and Dollars. Terms on application.

Local Bills discounted. Special facilities for Russian Exchange.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.

Safe Deposit Boxes.

L. JEZIERSKI,
S. JASTRZEMBSKI.
Managers for Branches in Asia

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Societe Anonyme
Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique
(THE BELGIAN BANK)

Paid up Capital ..Fr. 50,000,000
Reserves ..... Fr. 15,978,000

Head Office: BRUSSELS
London Office: 2 Bishopsgate, E.C.2
Paris Office: 2 Place de la Bourse
Branches: Cologne, Bucharest, Alexandria, Tantah, Cairo, Peking and Tientsin.
Agents:
(1) Manchester: 31 Mosley Street
(2) New York 22 William Street

President:
JEAN JADOT
Gouverneur de la Ste Gle de Belgique

Correspondents in all important cities of the world.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts in gold or local currency and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

L. STIENETMANS.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Limited

Incorporated 1912

Capital subscribed: £1,000,000
Capital paid up £1,000,000

HEAD OFFICE
No. 6 Des Voeux Rood, Hongkong

SHANGHAI OFFICE
No. 2 Ningpo Road

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

Canton	Bangkok	S. Francisco
Batavia	Bombay	Colombo
New York	Manila	Samarang
London	Singapore	Calcutta
Honolulu	Rangoon	Yokohama
Sourabaya	Canada, etc	

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchangee business transacted.

FUNG TSZ-KING,
Act. Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 435,461.90

Head office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Cen. 2650
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614
Branches:
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, Paris, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

SHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
SHU, CHIN MIH, Sub-Manager.
MENG CHIA, T. D. Woo, Acting Sub-Manager.

滙海實業銀行
Hwei Hai Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Founded and organized by Chang Chien and Chang Cha 1919

Head Office:
NANTUNGCHOW

Shanghai Branch:
22 KIUKIANG ROAD

Capital $1,000,000

Tels: Managers' Office Cen. 5902
General Office: Cen. 5902

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

International Banking Corporation

Capital and Surplus: $10,000,000
Undivided Profits: U.S. $3,200,000
OWNED BY
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK.

Head Office:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK

London Office: 26 Bishopsgate E. C.
Lyons Office: 21 Place Tolegan
San Francisco Office:
232 Montgomery Street

Branches:

China	Japan	
Canton	Kobe	
Hankow	Yokohama	
Harbin	Java	
Hongkong	Batavia	
Peking	Sourabaya	
Shanghai	Panama	
Tientsin	Colon	
Tsingtau	Panama	
Dominican Republic	Philippine Islands	
Barahona	Cebu	
Puerto Plata	Manila	
San Pedro de Macoris	Straits Settlements	
Sanchez	Singapore	
Santiago		
Santo Domingo		
India		
Bombay		
Calcutta		
Rangoon		

BRANCHES OF
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

Argentina	Italy	
Buenos Aires	Genoa	
Once (Buenos Aires)	Peru	
Rosario	Lima	
Belgium	Porto Rico	
Antwerp	Ponce	
Brussels	San Juan	
Brazil	South Africa	
Bahia	Cape Town	
Pernambuco	Spain	
Porto Alegre	Barcelona	
Rio de Janeiro	Madrid	
Santos	Trinidad	
Sao Paulo	Port of Spain	
Chile	Uruguay	
Santiago	Montevideo	
Valparaiso	Calle Rondean (Montevideo)	
Colombia	Venezuela	
Barranquilla	Caracas	
Bogota	Ciudad Boliva	
Medellin	Maracaibo	
Cuba		
Havana and 22 other cities in Cuba		

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1a Kiukiang Road.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital authorised Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed „ 150,000,000
Capital paid up .. „ 75,000,000
Reserves ..... „ 40,000,000

One third of the Capital i. e. Frs. 50,000,000 subscribed by THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11th, 1913.

President: ANDRE BERTHELOT
General Manager: A. J. PERNOTTE

HEAD OFFICE:
74 RUE SAINT LAZARE, PARIS

BRANCHES:

Antwerp	Le Havre	Shanghai
Batavia	London	Singapore
Bordeaux	Lyons	Swatow
Canton	Marseilles	Tientsin
Dunquerque	Mukden	Tsinanfu
Foochow	New York	Vladivostock
Haiphong	Peking	Yokohama
Hankow	Pnom Penh	Yunnanfu
Hanoi	Rotterdam	
Hongkong	Saigon	

BANKERS:
In London: The London Joint City & Midland Bank, Ltd., London.
In France: Société Générale pour favoriser le Development du Commerce & de l'Industrie en France.
In Italy: Banca Commerciale Italiana—Credito Italiano.

Taels, Dollars, Gold Accounts

Interest allowed on current accounts in Gold or local currency. Savings accounts and fixed deposits. Terms on application.

Every description of Banking and exchange business transacted.

B. ADAM,
Manager.
1 French Bund, Shanghai.

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914, and October 31, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING

Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.

Agencies abroad: Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
14 The Bund.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts: Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Y. M. CHIEN, Acting Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 17,353,284 (about £1,446,107)
Special Reserve: Guilders 25,160,000 (about £2,096,666)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongan
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerabaya
Kobe	Soerakarta
Kota-Radja	Tebing-Tinggi
Langsa	Tegal
Makassar	Telok Betong
Medan	Tjilatjap
Padang	Weltevreden

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Acting Manager.

The Bank of East Asia, Ltd.

Authorised Capital $2,000,000
Paid up Capital 2,000,000
Reserve Fund 200,000

Head Office:—2 Queen's Road Central, Hongkong
Shanghai Branch:—30 The Bund
London Bankers:—The London Joint Stock, London, City and Midland Bank Ltd.
Agencies and Correspondents in the principal Commercial centres of the world.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted

Loans granted on approved securities

Fixed and current deposit accounts opened on terms according to arrangement

RNE CHENG,
Acting Manager.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908

Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Capital .. 81,425.61
Resources 10,000,000.00

Head Office and Branches:
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimen, and Lanchi.

Domestic Agencies:
Throughout CHINA at principal Cities.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, Amsterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodata, Seoul, Fusan, Hongkong, Hamburg and Berlin.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and fixed Deposits according to arrangements.

Savings Accounts at 4% compound interest.

Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

LI MING,
Manager.

SHANGHAI BRANCH,
U39 Peking Road.

Tel. C. 3145, Mgr's. Office and C. 2147, Gen'l. Office

Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK" Shanghai.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars 4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire.. 16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire 4,000,000
Branches: Peking, Shanghai, Tientsin
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano, Banca Italiana di Sconto, Banco di Roma.
London: Credit Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Credit Commercial de France.
United States: Italian Discount Co., Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belga.
Switzerland: Banca Union di Credito.

Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U.S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.

General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.

Telegraphic Address: Banksinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Rd.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
G. GIACHINO: ROBERT LEE
Managers.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917)

Statutes approved by the Government in 1918
Head Office: TIENTSIN

Subscribed Capital $2,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital $1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund ..... $ 124,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang	Yokohama
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha	Chicago
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi	Philadelphia
Hankow	Hsuchow	Wuhu	Seattle
Nanking	Ningpo	London	Baltimore
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York	Cleveland
Hangchow	Canton	San Francisco	Detroit
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston	Buffalo
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio	Pittsburgh
Antung	Chengchow	Osaka	Montreal
Kiukiang	Nsinkiangpu	Kobe	St. Louis
		Cincinatti	

And also in other principal cities in foreign countries.

Shanghai Branch:
8441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchage business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits, both in taels and dollars, according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved accurities.

Y. R. Sun, Manager
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager

PARK-UNION FOREIGN BANKING CORPORATION

Capital G.$4,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits G.$754,000

HEAD OFFICE, 56 WALL ST., NEW YORK

BRANCHES:

SAN FRANCISCO		SEATTLE
PARIS	TOKYO	YOKOHAMA

CANADA—400 branches of the Union Bank of Canada

Shanghai Branch: 7 Kiukiang Road, Tel. C. Nos. 5874 & 5875.

CURRENT & FIXED DEPOSITS

Accepted in Taels, Mexican Dollars, U. S. Dollars, Canadian Dollars, Sterling, on Application.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

F. V. REILLY,
Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

Capital ..... $ 1,000,000.00
Reserve ..... $ 200,000.00
Deposits $10,000,000.00

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road

CORRESPONDENTS ABROAD:

LONDON	NEW YORK	PARIS
BERLIN	AMSTERDAM	TOKYO
SEATTLE	SAN FRANCISCO	MANILA
CHICAGO	SINGAPORE	OSAKA

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

GOLDEN STATE STARTS MAIDEN VOYAGE FEB. 15

Many Applications Made For Passage On Ocean To Pacific Mail Steamers

Announcement is made by the Pacific Mail Steamship Company that the first of the five palatial 535s allocated to its line by the United States Shipping Board will be dispatched from Baltimore February 15. This vessels, the Golden State, christened after the state of California, will be followed by the steamer Empire State, named in honor of New York, which is scheduled to sail from Philadelphia April 15.

The other three new vessels of the 535 fleet, the Palmetro State, named after South Carolina; the Hoosier State, bearing the pet designation of Indiana, and the Lone Star State, named after Texas, are expected to be ready for delivery to the Pacific Mail company early in the spring of next year, and will subsequently be dispatched from Baltimore at convenient intervals after that period.

SHIP'S ITINERARY

From Baltimore the itinerary of the Golden State, which will be followed by the other vessels, calls for stop-overs of from six to eighteen hours' duration at Havana, Cristobal, Balboa, La Libertad, San Jose de Guatemala and San Pedro and, according to officials of the Pacific Mail company, the entire voyage from coast to coast, via the canal will consume only seventeen days inclusive of stopover delays.

All of the 535s in question are of 12,600 deadweight tons, with specifications calling for the accommodation of 600 passengers and 11,000 tons of cargo capacity, the handling of which will be facilitated by the presence of eight hatches. They are also equipped with turbines capable of maintaining a speed of 17½ knots per hour, and in addition to their exterior qualifications they are fitted with every faddish convenience, such as spacious staterooms and cabins; twin beds, individual dressers, private baths and showers with hot and cold running water, electric reading lamps, large clothes lockers and private telephones.

MANY PASSENGERS

In discussing the proposed passenger excursions that will mark the initial sailings of the 535s from the Eastcoast, officials of the Pacific Mail company yesterday declared that present indications point to the Golden, as well as her sister ships, carrying capacity lists of fares. "The response with which local tourists have taken advantage of our excursion announcement," they explained, indicates that the public at large appreciates the fact that these vessels, among the largest and latest constructed in American shipyards for American operators, will be pressed into the trans-Pacific service of the Pacific Mail company with San Francisco as their home base."

After the five 535s are delivered to this port for service on Pacific Mail's trans-Pacific service, the steamers Venezuela, Colombia and Ecquador, now operating on this run, will be withdrawn upon their arrival in San Francisco on May 19, July 3, and September 8, respectively, for service on the company's Panama line service to Mexico, Central America, Panama, Havana and Baltimore.

EIGHT SHIPS IN FLEET

Although the steamer Cuba is scheduled to sail for the East-coast on this newly reorganised service November 26, it will not be officially inaugurated until some time in March, 1921. Other vessels to alternate on this route, making 8 in all, are the Point Judith, Point Adams Point Bonita and Point Lobos.

The initial voyage of the new 535s on the trans-Pacific service of the Pacific Mail Company, will be inaugurated March 19, with the sailing from this port of the steamer Golden State.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital 5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital 2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

(Formerly Commercial and Industrial Bank of China)

Established by American and Chinese Capitalists under Special Charter of the Government of China issued April 12th, 1919.

Authorized Capital G.$10,000,000
Paid-up Capital 5,000,000

HEAD OFFICE:
198 Hsi Ho Yen, Peking

President:
The Honorable Chien Nen-shun.
American Vice-President:
James A. Thomas, Esq., Peking.
Chinese Vice President:
Hsu Un-yuan, Esq., Peking.
NEW YORK AGENTS:
The Chase National Bank, The American Foreign Banking Corporation, and Hayden, Stone & Co.
Branches in China:
Peking, Tientsin, Shanghai, Hankow, Shihkiachwang, Tsinan, and agents in important cities.
Manila Branch:
Manila, P. I.

Current Accounts opened as usual terms. Fixed Deposits received at rates to be ascertained on application. Drafts issued and Telegraphic Transfers made. Foreign exchanges bought and sold. Commercial and Circular Letters of Credit issued. Bills, Checks, and other Documents collected. Purchase and Sale of Stocks and Bonds effected. Every description of General Banking Business transacted.

The Bank is closely associated with a number of the leading Financial Institutions in the United States and also prominent Chinese Capitalists in China, and is prepared to give financial facilities and to assist its clients in initiating and developing solid commercial and industrial undertakings in China.

Your account will be welcomed at this Bank, where you are assured of absolute security and the most courteous service.

Shanghai Branch:
No. 11 Nanking Road.
Tel. Central Nos. 5841, 5842.
Sooyli K. Shen, acting Manager.
Louis Shen, Assistant Manager

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital $60,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital $12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund $1,298,322.00
Special Reserve Fund $1,808,393.00

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka, Yokohama.

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Saturday, February 19, 1921

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the S.M.R. s.s. Kobe Maru will leave the Customs Jetty at 9 p.m.

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the N.Y.K. s.s. Suwa Maru will leave the Customs Jetty at 5 p.m.

Monday, February 28, 1921

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the P. and O. s.s. Kashgar will leave the Customs Jetty at 12 noon.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Prices

Stock Banks	Quotations Closing
...K and S. B. ...	$810
...hartered	£71⅛
...sso-Asiatic ...	Rs. 250
...rine Insurances	
...aton	H.$400 B.
...rth China	Tls. 168
...ion of Canton..	H.$225 Sa.
...angtsze	$23½ B.
...r Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd.....	Tls. 19½ B.
Fire Insurances	
...ina Fire	H.$125 B.
...ongkong Fire...	H.$318 B.
Shipping	
...do-China Def....	H.$195 B.
...do-China Pref...	H.$25 B.
"Shell"	110/- S.
...anghai Tug ord.	Tls. 50
...anghai Tug pref	Tls. 36 B.
Mining	
...iping	Tls. 25 B.
...ciental Cons....	
...laub	Tls. 0.75 B.
Docks	
...ongkong Dock ..	H.$171 B.
...hanghai Dock ...	Tls. 127½ B.
...ew Eng. Works	Tls. 28 B.
Wharves	
...hanghai Wharf...	Tls. 140 B.
...ongkong Wharf	H.94 B.
Lands and Hotels	
...nglo-French Land	Tls. 75 B.
...hanghai Land....	Tls. 75 B.
...eihaiwei Land...	Tls. 3
...hai Hotel Ltd. .	Tls. 55
...hina Realty (ord.)	Tls. 50
...hina Realty (pref)	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
...-wo (ord.)	Tls. 385 ...
...-wo (pref.)	Tls. 82 B.
...aou-kung-mow...	Tls. 385
...riental	Tls. 18 B.
...hanghai Cotton .	Tls. 118 B.
...ungyik	Tls. 36
...angtszepoo	Tls. 28½ xD B.
...angtszepoo Pref.	Tls. 81 x D B
Industrials	
...utter Tiles	Tls. 25
...hius Sugar	Tls. 264 B.
...reen Island	H.$11.00 B.
...angkats	Tls. 13
...ajor Bros	Tls. 5
...hai Sumatra	Tls. 98
Stores	
...all & Holtz	39 B.
...lewellyn	380
...ane, Crawford...	$85 B.
...ontrie	340
...atson	H.$8.80 B.
...eeks	$11 B.
Rubbers (Local)	
...lma	Tls. 3 B.
...mherst	Tls. 0.20
...nglo-Java	Tls. 5.80 B.
...nglo-Dutch	Tls. 2 B.
...yer Tawah	Tls. 20
...atu Anam 1918..	Tls. 0.40
...ukit Toh Alang	Tls. 2
...uts	Tls. 0.00
...hemor United....	Tls. 0.50
...hempedak	Tls. 4
...heng	Tls. 1¼
...onsolidated	Tls. 1½
...ominion	Tls. 4 S.
...ula Kalumpong .	Tls. 4 S.
...ava Consolidated	Tls. 7½ B.
...amunting	Tls. 1½
...apala	Tls. 0.20
...apayang	Tls. 10
...aran	Tls. 7
...ota Bahroe	Tls. 2
...roewoek Java ...	Tls. 10
...adang	Tls. 6
...engkalan Durian	Tls. 3
...ermata	Tls. 1
...epah	Tls. 0.50
...amagaga	Tls. 0.40 B.
...eekee	Tls. 2
...emambu	Tls. 0.50 B.
...enawang	Tls. 3½
...hai Klebang	Tls. 0.25 B.
...hanghai Malay ..	Tls. 3
...hai Malay pref...	Tls. 8
...hanghai Pahang	Tls. 2
...ungala	Tls. 0.50
...ungei Duri	Tls. 6½
...ua Manggis	Tls. 3½
...hai Kalantan	Tls. 0.55
...hai Seremban ...	Tls. 0.60
...aiping	Tls. 0.60
...anah Merah	Tls. 0.60
...ehong	Tls. 11
...lobri	Tls. 2½
...iangbe	Tls. 2½ B.
Miscellaneous	
...C. I.& E. Lumber	Tls. 335
...ulty Dairy	Tls. 10
...hanghai Trams ..	Tls. 80 B.
...hanghai Gas	Tls. 17
...Horse Bazaar	... 30½
...hanghai Mercury	Tls. 25
...hai Telephone...	Tls. 77
...hai Waterworks..	Tls. 120

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Stock Exchange Transactions

Shanghai, February 16, 1921
OFFICIAL
Chinese Eng: & Ming "B" Tls. 27.00
Oriental Cotton Tls. 18.00
Shanghai & Hongkew Wharves Tls. 145.00
Shanghai Dock Tls. 127.50
New Eng: Tls. 28.00
Tls. 28.25
UNOFFICIAL
Shanghai Dock Tls. 129.00
Shanghai Cotton Tls. 118.00
Yangtszepoo (Ord.) Tls. 23.75
New Eng: Tls. 28.50
Tls. 28.75 March
Oriental Cotton Tls. 18.00
S. & H. Wharves Tls. 145.00

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, February 16, 1921
Exchange and Bullion
Sovereigns: buying rate,
@ 3/3=Tls. 6.15
@ exch. 71.9=Mex. $8.56
Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate
@ 63¾=Tls. 1.57
@ exch. 71.9=Mex. $2.18
Mex. Dollars Market Rate: 71.65
Shanghai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tls. 353
Bar Silver 998 touch ... Tls. 111
Copper Cash ... per tael 201.000
Native Interest ..... Tls. 02

Latest London Quotations
Bar Silver ..... 34⅞d.
Bank Rate of Discount 7%
Ex., Paris on London .. Fr. 53.02
Ex., New York on London G.$3.92¼

Exchange Closing Quotations

London	T.T. 3/3
London	Demand 3/3¼
India	T.T. 236
Paris	T.T. 870
Paris	Demand 873
New York	T.T. 63½
New York	Demand 63¾
Hongkong	T.T. 74½
Japan	T.T. 76½
Batavia	T.T. 184
Singapore	T.T. 71

Bank's Closing Buying Rates

London	Demand 3/5
London	4 m-s. Cdts. 3/6
London	4 m-s. Docy. 3/6½
London	6 m-s. Cdts. 3/7¼
London	6 m-s. Docy. 3/7¾
Paris	4 m-s. 970
New York	o/d. Dock. 66½
New York	4 m-s. Docy. 71¼

Tourists' Exchange
@ Bank's Closing Demand Buying Rates
£10 @ exch. 3/5= Sh. Tls. 53.54
G. $50 @ exch. 66½= Sh. Tls. 75.18
Fr. 250 @ exch. 920= Sh. Tls. 27.17
1 Shanghai Tael=Mex. $1.37 at Bank's selling rate for Mexican Dollars.

Lira Exchange

Shanghai, February 16, 1921
Latest Bank Selling Rates:
It. Lire 16.75 = 1 Tael
Equivalent Foreign Quotations:
It. Lire 106.15 = 1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 27.00 = 1 U.S. Dollar
It. Lire 191.60 = 100 Fr. Francs

ROUBLES EXCHANGE

Today Banks Buying Rate For Roubles:
Roubles 40,000 ..... =Tls. 100
„ 100 ..... = Mex. $0.35

BANKS SELLING RATE FOR MARKS

Marks 3,400 ..... =Tls. 100
„ 100 ..... = Mex. $4.11

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR FEBRUARY

Hk. Tls. 5.49	@	3/3¼	£1
„ 1.	@	883	Fr. 9.89
„ 1.43	@	62¾	Gold $1
„ 1	@	77	Yen 1.44
„ 1	@	233½	Rs. 2.60
„ 1	@	1.50	Mex. $1.50
„ 1	@	—	Roubles —

Chartered Stock And Produce Exchange Ltd.

Closing Quotation Of Transactions yesterday

Shanghai, February 16, 1921
Chinese Bonds 1st year 6%
$19.60 February
$19.70 March
Chinese Bonds 5th year 6%
$61.50 February
Chinese Internal Loan 7th year 6%
$41.00 February
$41.00 March
Han-Yeh-Ping
$22.40 February
$22.60 March
Nuzu Electric Tramways Co., (Ordinary).
$16.80 February
$17.20 March
The Chartered S. & P. Ex.,
$68.10 February
$70.00 March
Tung Chow Cotton
Tls. 24.45 February
„ 24.90 March
„ 25.05 April
„ 25.15 May
„ 25.25 June
„ 25.30 July
Local Yarn for Standard 16's Cloudy Stork
Tls. 134.80 February
„ 135.90 March
„ 136.10 April
„ 135.80 May
„ 135.70 June

Sharebrokers' Association

Transactions

Shanghai, February 16, 1921
UNOFFICIAL
Docks Tls. 130.00 March
New Eng: Tls. 29.00 March

Permata Rubber Estate Ltd.

A directors' Meeting was held on Tuesday at the registered offices of the Company, 44 Szechuen Road, when the annual accounts for the year ending October 31, 1920, were submitted.

The year closes with a net profit on revenue account of Tls. 10,038.42 transferred to profit and loss account this, with Tls. 16,762.81 brought forward from the previous year, gives a total of Tls. 26,801.23 which the directors recommend should be dealt with as follows:

To write off development	Tls. 1,975.16
To carry forward to the new account...	24,826.07

It is intended to hold the annual general meeting on Friday, March 4, 1921 due notice of which will be given.

PARIS BANKER IS FOUND

Frezouls, Belitred To Be Mentally Ill, Tells Story Of Being Attacked

Paris, Dec. 13.—M. Frezouls, tht missing Paris banker and former Colonial Governor, who was supposed to have been kidnapped by a mysterious debtor, has been found.

This morning the police of the small Norman town of Vernon noticed a white-bearded man wandering about in tattered clothes who closely resembled the description of Frezouls. Although a report had come from the south that the body of a man also resembling the missing banker had been found in a wood with a bullet hole in the forehead and a letter in a coat pocket stating that he wished to disappear mysteriously, the police challenged the ragged stranger, and he at once confessed that he was Frezouls.

He showed his identification papers and told a long story about how he had been attacked and robbed. During last week, when the police were searching for him, the Paris Board of Magistrates had received from him a letter, without address, telling a similar story of attack as having occurred in another place. The police theory is now that the unfortunate banker is suffering from delusions, probably brought on by business worries.

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SEES TRIUMPH FOR CONSTANTINE

Greek Priest Predicts His Entry Into Constantinople Before November

PROPHET ALREADY FAMOUS

People Believe He Foretold The World War And Various Events

Athens, January 7.—Will the Greek King at the head of a Greek army enter Constantinople in the near future? Probably the League of Nations and the Entente Powers will answer "No;" but there lives at Janina, in Northern Greece, Papa Johannes, an Orthodox priest, who holds the contrary opinion.

Father John, venerated for his piety and renowned for his prophetic visions, lives a simple and retired life in the bosom of his family. Formerly he officiated in a Greek church in Philadelphia, but he knows little English. He is very learned in Biblical lore, and he occupies himself entirely with religious study. The people regard him with reverential awe, and his fame as a prophet has spread throughout Greece.

He keeps a diary which chronicles his revelations of future events. He is said to have foretold the European war a month before it began, and to have predicted the wresting of Jerusalem from the Turks (the death of King Alexander, the duration of the Venizelist regime and the return of Constantine to the throne. As to the length of the Venizelist term of power he was correct to within three days.

When the fortunes of Constantine, in exile in Switzerland, were at their lowest ebb, and there was nothing to indicate impending dynastic and political changes, Johannes wrote: "Constantine's hour is approaching when he will enter into his kingdom."

Little notice was paid at the time to the prediction. It may have been a lucky guess; but since the King's return the story has become generally know and the Greeks regard the Janina priest as endowed with prophetic vision.

I have made careful inquiries and have satisfied myself that Johnnes is not a vulgar charlatan, and that he foretold the events referred to long before they happened. His success as seer made profound impression on the Greek Nation. One of his prophecies, however, is unfulfilled. He says that before the end of October, 1921, Constantine XIV., at the head of his army will enter the Turkish capital. The present King Constantine is the first of Greece, but the fourteenth of the Byzantine Empire; for the priest-seer regards him as the successor of Constantine the last of the Emperors of the East, who perished in the breach defending Constantinople against the conquering Ottomans.

But the Janina prophet adds: "At the moment of Constantine's triumph something terrible will befall him." This would seem to presage the death of the King in the hour of victory. Although not superstitious, the King attaches credence to the latest prediction. When informed of it he said: "Let me once enter Constantinople with my army and I do not care what happens to me afterward."

Father John bases his prophecies entirely on Bible divinations; but some of his perfervid admirers are already likening him to the blind seer, Tiresias the Theban, celebration in classic Greek story.

IN ACCORD WITH PROPHECY

London, Jan. 7.—During the last Balkan War, when Constantine at the head of his victorious Greek army was winning back territory from the harassed Turks, closely beset further north by the Serbs and Bulgars, an ancient Helenic prophecy was recalled in Greece and aroused the utmost expectancy.

This ran to the effect that when a fair-haired King from the north, bearing the name of Constantine, should reign in Greece, Constantinople, the city of the great Constantine, should be recovered from the Turk and again become the seat of a Greek empire. The fair-haired Constantine, it was added, should crown himself Emperor of the East under the dome of St. Sophia.

It is said that the names of the present Greek King and Queen are not a matter of coincidence, and that they were given them as symbols of the aspirations of the Greek nation. King Constantine is of fair complexion and of Danish origin; hence if the eyes of superstitious Greeks the prophesy was in a fair way to fulfillment eight years ago.

EX-KAISER'S GUARD WAILS

Rebuffed If He Talks To Curious Visitors And If He Doesn't

Doorn, Holland, Jan. 8.—The correspondents the other day found in a confidential mood one of the State police whose task for the past two years has been to guard former Emperor William.

"This," said he, "is a thankless job. If I wanted to be dishonest, I could make thousands of guilders in bribes. But as I don't, all I get is rebuffs from my superiors if I answer a courteous question of a sightseer, or angry looks looks from the sightseer if I don't."

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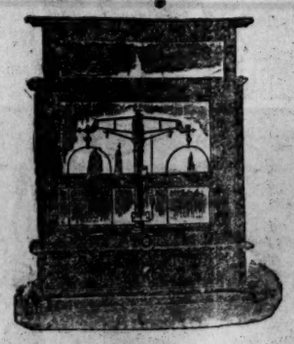
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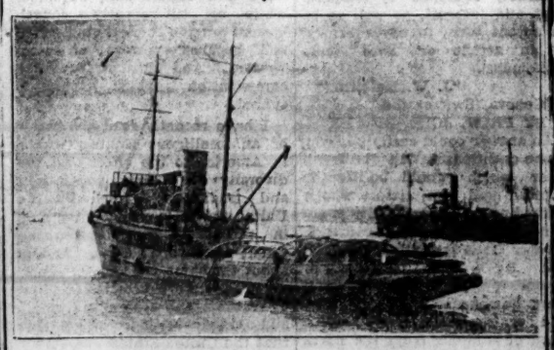
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WEATHER

A depression formed to the Loochoos will proceed to the East of Kinsiu. The high pressures are advancing from the Yangtsze valley towards our coasts. Colder but improving weather. Strong winds between north and northwest on the Yellow and Eastern Seas. Monsoon in the South.

DEATH

DE VOL: Mrs. Isabelle F. De Vol, M. D., a missionary of American Friends Mission at Luho, Ku, died December 22, 1920 at Marengo, Ohio.
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John Dewey Discusses The Present State Of China

IS China a nation? Or is China becoming a nation, and how long will it take? These questions, with their presently unknowable reactions and repercussions upon the world at large, are considered answered in sound and thoughtful fashion by Prof. John Dewey, in the Jan. 12 issue of The New Republic. The article was written in reply to a letter from Switzerland. Prof. Dewey finds that China is not a nation as we estimate nations, and in this connection raises some interesting questions. Is the present Western conception of nations the right one? Is it fully established? If so, has it proved itself, and ever what period of time? The letter and Prof. Dewey's reply follow:

"Sir:—No doubt—many, like myself, follow your interesting series of articles and editorials on China with a painful ignorance of how much of a nation China is China is continually referred to as if she were as compact and homogeneous a social and political entity as Switzerland. We know she has several hundred millions. How many of them are conscious? I suppose my vague mental image of China as a country parctically without a bourgeoisie, with a very small literate class, a farmer class practically on the proletarian level, and an enormous hinterland of stolid barbarians, practically immune to propaganda or to any but the most primitive forms of racial emotion, is common among those who studied georgraphy before the Treaty of Portsmouth.

"Does what is referred to politically, or what expresses itself audibly, as China, represent a few hundred thousands of the educated and the wealthy in the coast cities, or a few millions, or a substantial and dominating minority of the whole population?

"For those who ask this question it is not an idle one. China is the stock example of survival by submission. If she is a nation in the European—(or Balkan)—sense, it is obvious that Japan cannot sit on her chest forever. If not, the nation that organises her industries and her education may be able to swallow her, for political and economic purposes, more completely than England swallowed India (and India, though not digested, may be considered swallowed). Or the old inertia of size and patience may prevail, and the Japanese be swallowed—and digested—like their predecessors.

"If there is a book that gives the data on these questions, would you be kind enough to recommend it to me? And meanwhile would it not be worth while to get Professor Dewey, who is so admirably equipped by temperament and interest, as well as by his recent visit, to cover briefly in an article or two, these phenomena?

"J. W. Helburn."

"Geneva, Switzerland."

BY PROF. JOHN DEWEY

An answer could easily be given to the questions in Mr. Helburn's letter which would be literally correct, and yet almost wholly misleading. China certainly is not a nation as we know nations in Europe. It is sprawling, not compact. It is as diversified as Europe, if not more so, instead of being homegeneous like Switzerland or France. Every one has heard of students from the north and south who talk to one another in English so as to be understood. But there are populous parts of China where a native has to go only a few miles to fail to undestand the language of his compatriots. As for political self-consciousness, let the following true story serve. Students went from Shanghai to a neighboring village at the beginning of the anti-Japanese agitation a year and a half ago. The villagers listened patiently to their impassioned pleas for an interest in the policies of Peking dominated by "traitors," and for a patriotic boycott of Japan. Then they said in effect: "This is very well for you. You are Chinese. But we are Jonesvillians. These things are not our business." And this was not in the hinterland but close to the most developed coast city.

Yet if any would argue alone or chiefly to the future from such facts, he would certainly go wrong. Not because they are not massively representative, but because things are in flux. It is not safe to prophesy where they are going. But they are going somewhere, so that a Chinese politician who goes steadily contrary to the interests of China as a nation is sure of overthrow sooner or later. Even a Chinese within China cannot safely base his actions upon the state of things which is correctly represented above. Yet it would be equally unsafe to argue to the existence of a persistently influential minority from the fact of the thousands of telegrams sent to Paris in protest against signing a treaty that had within it the Shantung clause, or from the fact that a cabinet dominated by pro-Japanese politicians, and in control of finance and the army, simply did not dare enter into direct negotiations with Japan about Shantung. In a crisis there may be a minority so substantial as to be dominating. But only in a crisis.

Is China a nation? No, not as we estimate nations. But is China becoming a nation, and how long will it take? These are the open questions. Any one who could answer them definitely could read the future of the Far East like a book. But no one can answer them definitely. In this suspense and uncertainty lies the momentous interest of the situation. When did nations begin to be, anyway? How long has France been a compact and homogeneous nation? Italy, Germany? What forces made them nations? And what is going to be the future of the national state outside of China? What is the future of internationalism? Our whole concept of a nation is of such recent origin that it is not surprising that it does not fit in any exact way into Chinese conditions. And possibly the days in which political nationality is most fully established are also the days of its beginning to decline. The last suggestion may be wild. But it suggests that the world as well as China is in flux, and that answers to the questions whether and when China is to be a nation, and what kind of a nation it is to be, cannot be found till we know also what is going to happen in Russia, and Europe generally.

At present, to continue the negative side of the affair, there is little public spirit in China. Family and locality spirit give China its strength for its old traditional ends and its weakness for contemporary conditions and for international relations. Even among the politicians factional spirit is much stronger than public or national spirit—and this is a weakness alike for traditional and new objects. A big army eats up public revenues and makes China increasingly dependent upon foreign loans and subject to foreign spirit interference. It is of no use for national aggression and of next to none for national defense. It is of use for graft, for personal ambitions and factional strife. China has all the disadvantages of both extreme centralisation and extreme states rights, and few of the advantages of either. There is not only a division between north and south, but a cross division in both the north and south, and in addition a multitude of cross currents of provincial isolations and ambitions.

And yet was the United States a nation in the critical years after 1785? Was there not a bitter civil war only sixty years ago, and did not Gladstone announce that Jefferson Davis had created a new nation Are all questions of national unity and states rights yet settled? Not many centuries ago European politicians took funds from foreign governments to strengthen the hands of their own factions, and upon occasion foreign interference was invited or welcomed for furtherance of party or religious strife. Hardly today are the respective claims of state and church fully adjusted, while up till recently a church located outside the nation claimed and secured powers of intervention. And this at least is a complication which China is spared.

I have recently read the words of an intelligent English visitor in America to the effect that the diversity of unfused populations and traditions is such that the United States is one country only in the sense in which the continent of Europe is one. And at about the same time H. G. Wells using a different criterion, that of freedom and ease of movement and transportation, was saying that the United States was such a complete empire within itself that we could not speak of it and of France as nations in the same sense of the word nation. Such a miscellaneous citation warns us that we cannot use the conception of nation in any but a fluid sense, even in western affairs. They indicate the difficulty in making hard and fast statements about Chinese national unity.

When we turn from political to economic affairs, our habitual western ideas are even less applicable. Their irrelevancy makes it impossible intelligently to describe Chinese conditions, or even grasp them intelligently. In the familar sense of the word, there is no bourgeoisie in China. There used to be a gentry with considerable unwritten power, but for the time being at least it is practically non-existent. The merchant class is traditionally outside of political concerns, and has not as yet developed any political or social class consciousness, though some signs of its beginnings were evidenced in connection with the recent boycott. Even in the west one has considerable difficulty in placing the farmers in the bourgeoisie-proletariat termiology (one is tempted to say patter). And how is a class of peasant proprietors who form not merely the vast mass of a people but its economic and moral backbone, who are traditionally and in present esteem, the respectable part of the population, next to the scholars, to be classified under our western nations?

Even in the west the point of these distinctions is the product of the industrial revolution. And in China the industrial revolution has still to occur. China is a much better place to study European history of a few centuries ago than to apply the concepts and classifications of present political and economic science. The visitor spends his time learning, if he learns anything about China, not to think of what he sees in terms of the ideas he uses as a matter of course at home. The result is naturally obscurity rather than light. But it may be questioned whether the most enlightening thing he can do for others who are interested in China is not to share with them his discovery that China can be known only in terms of itself, and older European history. Yet one must repeat that China is changing rapidly; and that it is as foolish to go on thinking of it in terms of old dynastic China—as Mr. Bland for example insists we must do—as it is to interpret it by pigeon-holding its facts in western conceptions. China is another world politically and economically speaking, a large and persistent world, and a world bound no one knows just where. It is the combination of these facts that give it its overpowering intellectual interest for an observer of the affairs of humanity.

The question of China's nationhood, as the writer of the letter of inquiry goes on to observe, "is not an idle one. China is the stock example of survival by submission. If she is a nation in the European or Balkan sense, it is obvious that Japan cannot sit upon her chest forever. If not, the nation that organises her industries and education may be able to swallow her, for political and economic purposes, more completely than England swallowed, if not digested. Or the old inertia of size and patience may prevail, and the Japanese be swallowed and digested like their predecessors."

These remarks are pertinent, and they enter into the constant query of the foreign observer in China. And yet he can hardly go further than noting the problem, noting the flux of events, and some of the factors that may turn its direction. It is not safe, for one thing, to argue that because China has absorbed all previous invaders that she will end by incorporating into herself future intruders. Her previous conquerors were northern barbarians upon a lower plane of civilisation. What would have happened if they had brought with them a superior technique of industry and administration no one knows. Marquis Okuma is reported to have accounted for China's long story of independent existence on the ground that she had no railways. At first sight this may seem to resemble the child's statement that pins save persons' lives, because persons don't swallow them. But it suggests the radically different character of ancient and modern invasions. The latter center about exploitation of previously unused economic resources. A country that had possession of China's ports, railways, mines and communications would have China in subjection. The wiser the invading country, the less would she assume the burdens of civil administration beyond necessary policing. She would act as permanent exploiting capitalist using the natural resources and unskilled labor of the country to serve her own ends. In addition she would doubtless try to conscript native man-power for her armies. Generally speaking, the natives would act as coolies, the foreigners as upper class personages. Under such conditions, success or non-success in cultural assimilation would amount to little.

But as soon as such things are said, the mind at once recalls that improvement of internal communication and transportation has been a chief factor in developing countries into political units, while oppression from without has been the other great factor. The same forces are operating in China and will continue to operate. Nationalistic feeling as it now exists is largely the product of reaction against foreign encroachments. It is strongest on the sea board not merely because industrial development is most advanced there, but because the aggressions of foreigners have been most felt at that point. Effort to take advantage of absense of national unity to subject a country is likely to end in creating a national consciousness. Korea is a striking example. Politically corrupt and divided, with no national political consciousness, less than a generation of alien rule combined with industrial and educational change designed wholly to subserve the interests of the foreign power, have almost converted Korea into a second Ireland. History seems to show that nations are hardened into being under influences intended to subvert nationality. China is not likely to be an exception. While it is not a nation "in being," events are probably evoking a nation in becoming. And the process is hastened by efforts to prevent it. At the same time no report is honest which does not state that almost any faction in any part of China, north or south, will surrender national rights to a foreign country in return for factional aid against its internal foes.

One other factor in probable evolution should be mentioned For a long time, the great Powers, with the exception of the United States, proceeded upon the assumption that China was bound to be disintegrated, and that the policy of each foreign nation was to get its fair share of the spoils. This statement may be too strong. But at least the working assumption was that whenever any disintegration occurred, surrender to one nation must be compensated for, at China's expense, by concessions to others. The world war made conditions such that other nations could not compete with Japan in this game. It is fairly clear now that the disintegration of China would be almost exclusively to Japan's advantage. Hence a great access of benevolent interest on the part of other Powers in China's national integrity. China's historic foreign policy has been to play one Power off against another. Now she is aided by a tendency of all the Powers to give her at least passive assistance against Japanese encroachments. The formation of the consortium with its abolition of distinctive spheres of foreign influence, the question of the re-affirmation or abrogation of the British-Japanese Alliance, the Shantung affair, acquire their meaning in this context. The as yet unsolved question is what Japan can by promise or threat offer by way of compensation to other great Powers to induce them to give her a freer hand in China.

An American educator long resident in central China remarked to me that China was trying to crowd into a half century literary, religious, economic, scientific and political revolutions which it had taken the western world centuries to accomplish. The remark indicates the difficulty in making predictions and in offering definite descriptions. In spite of the inertia and stability that still dominate the vast rural districts, in spite of nonfulfillment of specific past prophesies of changing China, China is in a state of flux. The accumulated effect of thousands of petty changes due to contact with western methods and ideas, has been to create a new mind in the educated class. This fact is at present more important than any single big external change or external failure to change that can be singled out. It will take a long time for this new mind to work itself out in definite achievement or even to trace definitely perceptible lines of progress. But these conditions which make intelligent description so difficult are those which lend China its absorbing interest.

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MY BEST STORY

This is the story that Sir Ernest Wild, K.C., M.P. contributes to the series of "My Best Story."

An inspector of schools was making an inspection of a remote north country school. A Tory squire invited him to dinner with a number of other guests.

During the repast the host remarked in a patronising tone to the inspector: "By the way, did you have any amusing experience in the course of your duties today?"

His guest replied: "Yes, I was taking a class of small boys in the subject of general knowledge. I have a gruff manner, but, I hope, a kindly heart. I asked, somewhat abruptly, who wrote Hamlet? There was a long puase. Then a small boy held up a trembling hand and stammered out: "Please sir, I didn't."

After the ladies had retired the squire moved his seat so as to sit next to the inspector, and said: "About that story—'I suppose the little beggar did, didn't he?"

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HOW TO FILL THE NEWSPAPERS

(All the world over the newspapers have their correspondence columns. Every letter opens ups some new thought. Herewith let me give a clever skit that I have culled from that chatty little weekly "London Opinion.")

Jan. 1.

Sir,—

Will any of your readers tell me if a sparrow has ears, and if so, where they are placed?

Yours, etc.,
Interested.
Jan. 2.

Sir,—

Your correspondent of yesterday raises a very interesting point, which happily the experience of a long life enables me to answer. Sparrows have no ears. The question of their position does not therefore arise.

Yours, etc.,
80 Next Birthday.

Sir,—

A sparrow has the same number of ears as a man or a donkey, and they are in similar positions. If a lady covers her ears with hair we do not say she has no ears. A sparrow covers his with feathers.

Yours, etc.,
Naturalist.
Jan. 3.

Sir,—

Your correspondent, "80 Next Birthday," with the usual assurance of those who have one foot in the grave and the other on a banana skin, asserts that sparrows have no ears.

Has he never tasted sparrow-ear pie? In my part of Gloucestershire it has long been deemed a great delicacy.

Yours, etc.,
Country.

Sir,—

As a mother of three children I cannot allow the question of a sparrow's ears to pass unnoticed by my sex. If women do occasionally cover their ears with hair, do not men as often do the same with the major part of their faces?

Does "Naturalist" by his phrase "the same as a man or a donkey," instead of the usual "a man or a woman," intend a veiled insult? I hope not.

Yours, etc.,
Indignant.

From Sir Arthur Cannon Oil.

Sir,—

If sparrows have no ears why do fairies talk to them? The well-known intelligence of these delightful subhuman (or is it super-human?) creatures would not admit of their talking to other creatures who could not understand them.

Yours, etc.,
A. Cannon Oil.

After this the correspondence may be led by gentle stages to "Spiritualism and Sir A. Cannon Oil"; "Faci and Theory"; "Can Fishes Hear?" (in which "Senex" can write and say that in his youth a herring was called a "hearing," referring to its quick capacity for perceiving the approach of the fishing boats); "Women's Style of Hair Dressing"; "The Causes of Baldness and its Cure"; "Origin and Meaning of the Expression: "Getting One's Hair Off'"; "Supremacy of the Fair and Red-headed" (special reference to David, Shakespeare, Shaw, etc.), until a new murder trial makes it imperative for the Editor to print, "This correspondence must now cease."

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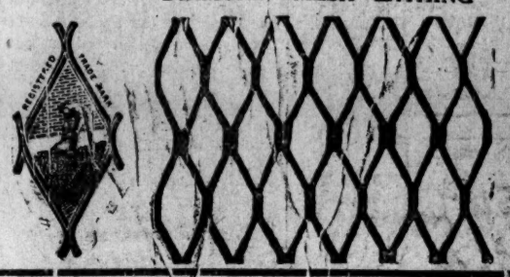

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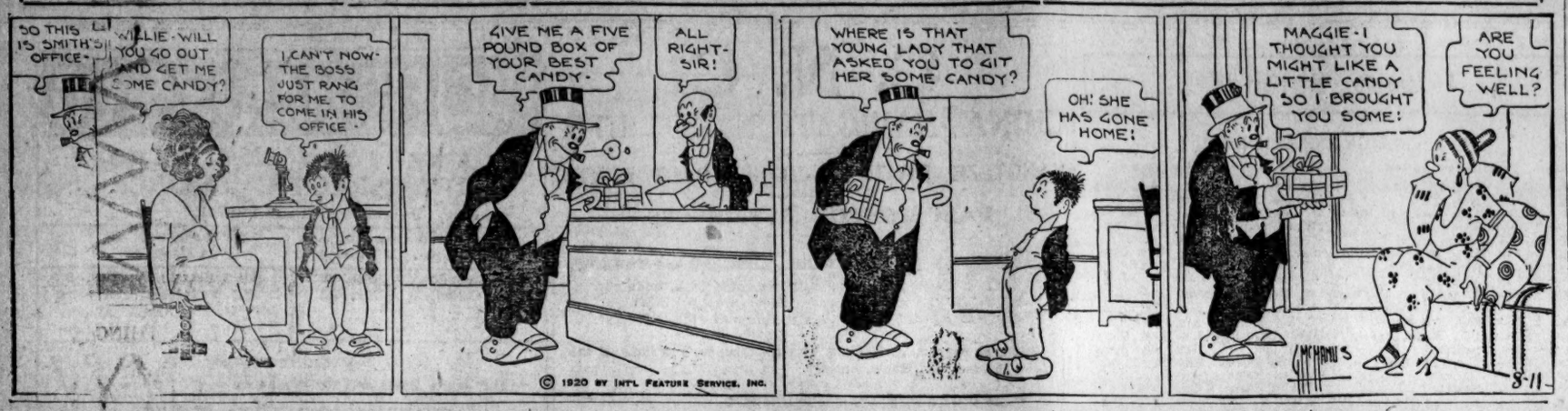
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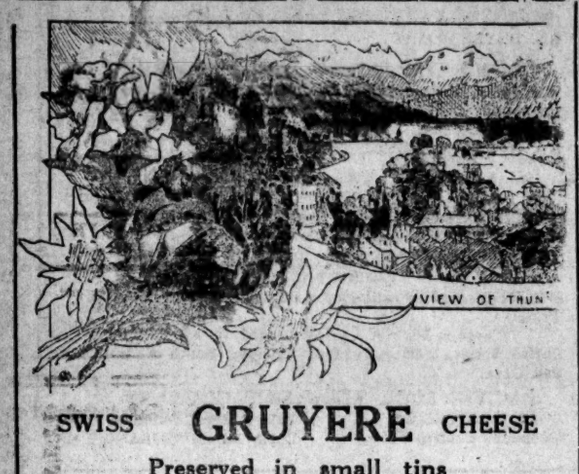

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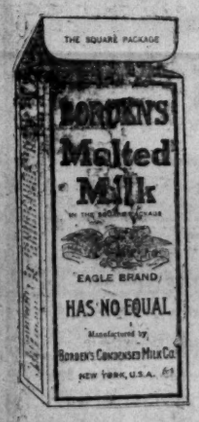

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Wuchang Passes Another Crisis, Soldiers Paid

Chambers Of Commerce In Two Cities Raise Money At Eleventh Hour

(China Press Correspondence)

Hankow, February 11.—Wuchang has passed another China New Year crisis amidst wild rumors of breaking loose of soldiers who demanded their payment in cash before the end of the lunar year. This time it was a dangerous and narrow escape, for not until late last Monday, the China New Year eve, had the governors secured any funds to tide over the situation.

Before Monday rumors of looting soldiery were current in the city. A time was set at night for the payment of silver to soldiers, and if the silver had not been forthcoming, Wuchang would have suffered the fate of Ichang.

Fortunately the needed silver came in right at the eleventh hour and before the breaking point just in time to keep the expecting soldiers from running rampant and looting. The money was a loan forced by the tuchun. General Wang Chuan-yuan, from the Chambers of Commerce of Wuchang and Hankow. Just how much has been advanced by the chambers to the governor, nothing is known.

Piled Up Ice Causes Flood In Shantung

(China Press Correspondence)

Peking, February 14.—A small flood has been caused in the arid famine-stricken region along the Yellow River above Tsinan, Shantung, by the damming of the river from floating ice. The upper reaches of the river have already thawed, but in the region of Li Tsing Hsien the out-going ice struck an unthawed section, and piled up in a high wall, causing a rise of nine feet, and forcing the river over its banks. About thirty villages in the reach between Litsing and Tsui Chia Lou and Li Chwang are inundated. It is feared that there is some loss of life.

SIBERIAN ENVOY HOPES FOR UNITY WITH THE CHINESE

Chairman Yourin, Of Mission, Sends Greetings To Chita Assembly

(Dalta New Agency)

Peking, February 12.—Mr. Yourin, Chairman of the Mission of the Far Eastern Republic to China, sent the following greetings to the Chita Constituent Assembly:

"On behalf of the Mission of the Far Eastern Republic in China, I congratulate the representatives of the people of the Far East on the opening of the Constituent Assembly. We trust the Assembly will establish law and order in the country, remove foreign interference, and bring about friendly trade relations with all countries.

"Conducting the task of re-establishing relations with China, I deem it necessary to declare that the Chinese people feel the necessity of establishing friendly trade relations with the Far Eastern Republic and it is expected that the Chinese Government, if it will hear the voice of the Russian people as expressed by the Constituent Assembly, will not ignore this voice and the interests of the Republic of China. The obscure and undetermined attitude adopted by the Chinese Government with regard to the Far Eastern Republic is the result of the separation of the different districts in the Far East.

"Now, however, it is impertinent to speak of the lack of will of our people, which is plainly expressed, except as a pretext for aggressive designs on the Far East. The voice of the Constitutent Assembly, addressed to the people and Government of China, cannot be but heard by our neighbor, who is on the same border with our Republic for thousands of miles. I am convinced that the Constituent Assembly, once taking in its hand the task of liberating and gaining independence of the Far East and establishing peace, will carry it to a final victory."

Beware Of The Handkerchief

By BRICE BELDEN, M.D.

The danger of the pocket handkerchief as a source of infection has been little recognised even at times when such sources are being searched for most frantically. During the influenza epidemic people were warned about every conceivable germ carrier—except the pocket handkerchief. They were given directions for avoiding trouble, and some of the most popular of precautions were absolutely useless, or, what is more, rather harmful. The deadly pocket handkerchief was not mentioned in the list of things to beware of or offset.

Nasal douches and face masks such as were used during the epidemic were useless to anyone who had exposed himself to the menace of the pocket handkerchief. When it is realised that the handkerchief of an influenza patient is a perfect incubator for the germs of the disease, it will be seen that these favorite precautions are rather foolish.

The face mask interfered with free breathing and made the air which did enter unhealthily warm and damp. Gargling also was a small precaution against the greater danger of the infected handkerchief, besides being a destroyer of the natural secretions which might have helped to offset the handkerchief menace.

Germs feed and multiply in the moist handkerchief and if the person who owns the incubator has already become infected the danger is, of course, the more terrible to others, and the owner may reinfect himself through it. If this handkerchief is kept in a warm pocket the germs will find themselves in a most comfortable and encouraging environment and the result will be a veritable death-trap, ready to be put into the laundry to disseminate its contents freely among the clothes of others. Thorough boiling in the laundry process would effect sterilisation.

The dry handkerchief is dangerous even before the laundry stage, as with the slightest flourish or disturbance its contents will be scattered as an infectious dust into the air. One's handkerchief should never be applied to a child's face as the nasal secretions are not germ-free even when we are well.

One practical method of preventing infection through this source lies in the sterilisation of all handkerchiefs by soaking them in disinfectants before they are washed. Another is the use of paper handkerchiefs which can be burned immediately after use.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1921

Date and Destination	Per	Chi.	Br.	U.S.A	Fr.	Jap.	Reg
TODAY.							
Japan Ports	T'shima Maru	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
W'wei, C'foo and T'tsin	Tungchow	..	8.30	..	..	..	..
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton	Sunning	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Hongkong	Sunning	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Manila direct	W. Montana	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
Japan Ports	T'shima Maru	9.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
W'wei, C'foo, and T'tsin	Tungchow	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton	Kwangtse	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Hongkong and Canton	Szechuen	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Hongkong	do	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
U.S.A. via Seattle	*West Ison	17.00	..	..	..	..	..
Japan Ports	T'shima Maru	..	..	..	..	B20.00	19.30
Ningpo	Kiangteen	..	15.00	..	..	..	..
Tientsin	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok	do	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
TOMORROW.							
Chefoo and Tientsin	Yusang	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
	do	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hongkong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Yokohama M.	15.30	..	..	..	..	15.00
Japan Ports	Chikugo M.	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
Japan Ports	do	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Manila direct	G. Dollar	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.00
Japan Ports	Chikugo M.					B20.00	19.30
Saturday, Feb. 19.							
Manila Direct	Pawlet	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	Suwa Maru	15.30	..	..	..	..	15.00
Nagasaki, Kobe, Y'hama, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe v/a Canada	Suwa Maru		15.30	*			15.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	Suwa Maru	..	..	A15.00	..	..	14.00
Dalny	Kobe Maru	15.00					13.30
Hongkong	Yokohama M.	..	15.30	..	..	..	
Sunday, Feb. 20.							
H'kong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Lahore	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30
Monday, Feb. 21.							
U.S.A. via S. Francisco	*W. Cajoot	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
Tuesday, Feb. 22.							
W'wei, C'foo & T'tsin	Shuntien	14.00	..	..	..	..	13.30
Hongkong and Canton	Sinkiang	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
W'wei, C'foo & T'tsin	Shuntien	..	13.30	..	..	..	
Hongkong	Sinkiang	..	8.30	..	..	..	..
Wednesday, Feb. 23.							
Swatow, H'kong, C'ton	Kansu	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30
Swatow and Hongkong	do	..	9.30	..	..	..	..
Amoy	Chinkiang	10.00	9.30	..	..	..	9.30
Thursday, Feb. 24.							
Hongkong and Canton	Hangchow	11.00	..	..	..	..	10.30
Hongkong	do		10.30				
Saturday, Feb. 26.							
Swatow, H'kong, C'ton	Yingchow	11.00	..	..	..	..	10.30
Swatow & Hongkong	do	..	10.30	..	..	..	..

* Parcel mail only.
A No parcel mail.
B Letters and boxes with declared value at 7:30 p.m.
E Parcels at 4 p.m. and money orders at 3 p.m. Registered articles at 5 p.m. on previous day.

The Chinese Post Office will close two mails daily for Tsingtao, Tientsin, Peking, etc.
a.—at 21 for S. N. R. 23 o'clock train
b.—at 7 for S. N. R. 7:55 o'clock train
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GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS

Vessels Loading

For River Ports

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. **Kiangyu**, Captain Johannsen, will leave on Thursday, February 17, at midnight. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M. S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Poyang**, Capt. F. McGarity, will leave from the French Bund on Thursday, Feb. 17, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. Luenho, 2,868 Tons, Captain Reid, will sail for the above mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, February 17, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. Suiwo, 2,671 Tons, Captain Smith, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, February 18 at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Telephone Central 241 Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Luenyi**, Captain Frazier, will leave from the French Bund on Friday, Feb. 18, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Wuchang**, Capt. Pickard, will leave on Saturday, Feb. 19, at 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD And SWIRE**, Agents Tel. No. 77.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. Kiangfoo, Captain Sorensen, will leave on Sunday, February 20, at midnight. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Ngankin, Capt. G. D. S. Mills, will leave from the French Bund on Monday, Feb. 21, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. Kutwo, 2664 Tons, Captain James, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, February 21, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. Tuckwo, 3,770 Tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the above mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, February 22, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.**, General Managers. Telephone Central 241 Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Woosung, Capt. C. C. Williams, will leave from the French Bund on Wednesday, February 23, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The Str. Kiangteen, Capt. D. F. Ross will leave on Thursday, Feb. 17, at 3.30 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

AMOY AND FOOCHOW.—The Steamer Tungwah, Captain Crawford, will leave on Thursday morning, February 17. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M. S.N. Co.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Szechuen**, Captain W. Benson, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Friday, February 18, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

SWATOW, HONGKONG AND CANTON.—The Str. Kwangtee, Capt. Taylor, will leave on Friday morning, February 18. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M. S.N. Co.

NINGPO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Hsin Peking**, Captain A. E. Edwards, will leave from the French Bund on Friday, Febuary 18, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

STOW H'KONG, CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Sunning**, Capt. K. A. Wavell, will leave from the French Bund on Friday, Feb. 18, at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents Freight Tel. 77 and Passage Tel. 401.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Sinkiang, Capt. C. W. Puckett, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Tuesday, February 22, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

SWATOW, HONGKONG AND CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Kansu**, Captain H. Sutor, will leave on Wednesday, Feb. 23, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

AMOY.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Chinkiang**, Captain B. A. Thomson, will leave on Wednesday, Feb. 23, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Hangchow**, Capt. A. R. McEachran will leave on Thursday, February 24, at noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

SWATOW, H'KONG & C'TON.—China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Yingchow**, Capt. G. W. Eedy, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Saturday, Feb. 26, at noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

For Northern Ports

CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. **Yushun**, Captain Davis, will leave on Thursday morning, Feb. 17. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

CHINWANGTAO Direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the s.s. **Patriot**, on Feb. 17, 1921. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent, 1 JINKEE ROAD Tel. Central 1114.

W'WEI, C'FOO & TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Tungchow**, Capt. Harris, will leave from the French Bund on Thursday Feb. 17, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TIENTSIN direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration will dispatch the s.s. **Dukat** on February 18. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agents, 1 Jinkee Road, Phone C. 1114.

TSINGTAO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Yingchow**, Captain G. W. Eedy, will leave from the Watung Wharf on Saturday, Feb. 19, at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

CHINWANGTAO.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the s.s. **Henrik** on February 21. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent, 1 Jinkee Road, Tel. C. 1114.

VLADIVOSTOK DIRECT.—The s.s. **Yungshin**, Captain Pooiga, will be despatched from Shanghai on or about Monday, Feb. 21. For Freight or Passage, apply to L. V. Lang, No. 8 French Bund Phone Nos. Central 4702 and 3059.

W'WEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Shuntien** Captain H. A. Walker will leave from the French Bund on Tuesday, February 22, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Feb. 17	—	Portland, Ore.	Abercos	Am.	Adl. Line
Feb. 17	—	New York	Alaska Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Feb. 17	—	New York via Suez	Grace Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Feb. 18	—	Seattle	West Ison	Am.	S. & Dix
Feb. 20	6.30*	Seattle	†Suwa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 22	—	New York via Suez	Lancaster	Am.	S. & Dix.
Feb. 26	—	San Francisco	†Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
Feb. 26	—	New York	Toyohashi M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Feb. 26	—	Portland	W. Nomentum	Am.	C. P. Co.
Feb. 28	—	San Francisco	†China	Am.	China Mail
Feb. 28	—	San Francisco	T. Stockton	Am.	Adl. Line
Mar. 2	—	San Francisco	West Cajoot	Am.	S. & Dix
Mar. 4	—	Seattle	Eldridge	Am.	Adl. Line
Mar. 10	—	San Francisco	†Korea Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Mar. 10	—	Tacoma	Africa Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Mar. 13	—	Seattle	Fushimi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K
Mar. 15	—	N. York via Panama	Apus	Am.	S. & Dix
Mar. 15	—	New York v Panama	Bessie Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Mar. 15	—	New York	W. H. Webb	Am.	Adl. Line
Mar. 18	—	Portland	West Keats	Am.	C. P. Co.
Mar. 22	—	San Francisco	†Siberia Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Mar. 18	—	Portland, Ore.	Pawlet	Am.	Adl. Line
Mar. 25	—	Vancouver	†E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Mar. 26	—	San Francisco	†Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
Apr. 1	—	Seattle	W. Montana	Am.	A. Line
Apr. 2	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Apr. 6	—	San Francisco	†Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
Apr. 11	—	Vancouver	†Monteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S
Apr. 24	—	San Francisco	†Nile	Br.	China Mail
Apr. 30	—	Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May 20	—	Vancouver	†E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
May 28	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
June 18	—	Vancouver	†Monteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Feb. 17	—	Kobe	A. Apcar	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Feb. 18	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Takeshima M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 19	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 22	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Awaji Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 23	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 24	—	Kobe	Sado Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 26	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 1	—	N'saki, Kobe, N'saki	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 2	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE INDI A, STRAITS, ETC.

Feb. 17	6.00*	Marseilles	†Armand Behic	Fr.	M.M. Cie
Feb. 17	—	London	Foyle	Br.	J.M. & Co
Feb. 17	—	Calcutta	A. Apcar	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Feb. 17	8.00*	Hamburg, ports	Mentor	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 18	—	Rotterdam	Ameland	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
Feb. 20	—	London, ports	Yokohama M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 20	—	Singapore	W. Montana	Am.	A. Line
Feb. 20	—	Rotterdam, ports	Duquesne	Am.	Adl. Line
Feb. 21	—	Copenhagen	Australian	Dan.	E. A. Co.
Feb. 24	—	Antwerp, ports	Teiresias	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 25	—	Rotterdam, ports	Alloway	Am.	Adl. Line
Feb. 28	noon	London, ports	†Kashgar	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Mar. 1	—	Glasgow, ports	Titan	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 3	—	Glasgow, ports	Achilles	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 3	—	Hamburg, ports	Helenus	Br.	B. & M.
Mar. 3	—	London	Glentara	Br.	G. L. E. A.
Mar. 4	—	Bombay, ports	†Dilwara	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Mar. 6	—	Liverpool, ports	Tamba Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 7	—	London	Kliest	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 10	—	Liverpool	Telamon	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 14	—	London	†Karmala	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Mar. 15	—	Lisbon	Quelimore	Port.	B. Bros
Mar. 17	—	Liverpool, ports	Ningchow	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 18	—	Amsterdam	Alderamin	Dut.	H. C. T. Co
Mar. 21	—	London	†Kasmir	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Mar. 24	—	Glasgow, ports	K. of the Garter	Br.	B. & S
Mar. 28	—	London	†Nankin	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Mar. 31	—	Antwerp, ports	Keemun	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 7	—	Liverpool, ports	Idomeneus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 7	—	Hamburg, ports	Theseus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14	—	Glasgow, ports	Ajax	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14	—	Antwerp, ports	Atreus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 21	—	Hamburg, ports	Elpenor	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 28	—	Antwerp, ports	Pyrrhus	Br.	B. & S.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Feb. 17	3.30	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 17	—	Manila	West Ison	Am.	S. & Dix.
Feb. 17	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Kwongsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Feb. 17	—	Amoy & Foochow	Tungwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Feb. 18	5.00	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Feb. 18	D.L.	Hongkong & Canton	Szechuen	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 18	—	S. H'kong, C'ton	Kwanglee	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 18	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 18	D.L.	S. Hongkong & C'ton	Sunning	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 20	—	Manila, Hongkong	Pawlet	Am.	Adl. Line
Feb. 21	—	Hongkong, Manila	Apus	Am.	S. & Dix.
Feb. 22	10.00*	Hongkong & Canton	Sinkiang	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 23	11.00	Amoy	Chinkiang	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 23	11.00*	S. H'kong, C'ton	Kansu	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 24	noon	Hongkong & Canton	Hangchow	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 26	noon	S. H'kong, C'ton	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 27	—	Manila & Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Mar. 5	—	Manila & Hongkong	Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 8	—	Hongkong	Siberia Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Mar. 14	—	Hongkong & Manila	Nanking	Am.	China Mail
Mar. 15	—	Hongkong	E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Feb. 17	—	Tientsin	Dukat	Nor.	K.M.A.
Feb. 17	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 17	—	Chefoo & Tientsin	Yushun	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 19	D.L.	Tsingtao	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 20	8.30*	Tsingtao & Dairen	Kobe Maru	Jap.	S.M.R. Co.
Feb. 21	—	Vladivostok	Yungshin	Chi.	L.V. Lang
Feb. 22	—	Tientsin	Kohoku Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
Feb. 22	3.00	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 25	1.30	Tsingtau & Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S. M. R. Co.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Feb. 17	M.N.	Hankow, etc	Kiangyu	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 17	M.N.	Hankow, etc	Luenho	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Feb. 17	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 18	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J. M. & Co
Feb. 18	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc	Esang	Br.	M. M. & Co
Feb. 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 20	D.L.	Pukow	Waishing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Feb. 20	—	Wuhu	Wuhu	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br.	J. M. & Co
Feb. 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Feb. 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wosang	Br.	J.M. & Co.

† CARRYING MAIL.
* A. M. M.N.—MIDNIGHT D.L.—DAYLIGHT

Arrivals

Date		From	Ships Name	Flag	Agents
Feb. 16	—	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Feb. 16	—	Calcutta	A. Apcar	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Feb. 16	—	Japan	Tokiwa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 16	—	Tientsin	Shawhsing	Chi.	J. T. Co.
Feb. 16	—	Chinwangtao	Tairyu Maru	Jap.	K. M. A.
Feb. 16	—	Foochow	Keelung M.	Jap.	O. S. K.
Feb. 16	—	Japan	Takeshima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Feb. 16	—	Japan	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 16	—	Japan	Hirado Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Feb. 16	—	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Feb. 16	—	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 16	—	Hongkong	Wuhsing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Feb. 16	—	Hongkong	Alaska Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Feb. 16	—	New York	Apus	Am.	S. & Dix
Feb. 16	—	Portland	Pawlet	Am.	Adl. Line
Feb. 16	—	Chinwangtao	Satsuki Maru	Jap.	K.M.A.
Feb. 16	—	Tientsin	Tungwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.

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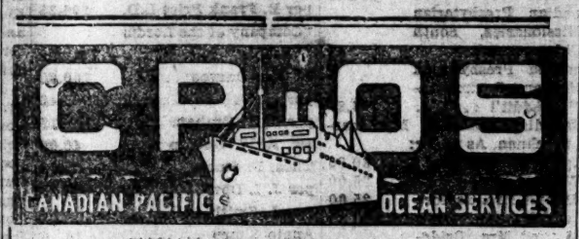

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MITO MARU ..... 10,000 Capt. M. Tomita, Mar. 19

FOR VICTORIA AND SEATTLE (Via Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama)
SUWA MARU ..... 22,000 Capt. M. Machida, Feb. 20
FUSHIMI MARU ... 21,000 Capt. T. Noguchi, March 13

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, NEW YORK AND BOSTON Via Panama.
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TOYOHASHI MARU 15,000 Capt. T. Terada, Feb. 26

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TAKESHIMA MARU.. 4,500 Capt. S. Kimura, Feb. 18
AWAJI MARU ..... 4,000 Capt. Y. Yoshida, Feb. 22
YAWATA MARU .... 7,000 Capt. H. Kawai, Mar. 1

FOR KOBE AND OSAKA VIA MOJI (Osaka may be omitted).
CHIKUGO MARU ....5,500 Capt. M. Tsuruga, Feb. 18
YAMASHIRO MARU ..7,000 Capt. S. Saito, Feb. 22
KUMANO MARU .... 9,500 Capt. K. Kobayashi, Feb. 26
OMI MARU ..... 7,000 Capt. K. Kobayashi, Mar. 2

FOR KOBE DIRECT.
SADO MARU ..... 12,500 Capt. U. Tanaka, Feb. 24

FOR HONGKONG.
SUWA MARU ..... 21,000 Capt. R. Shimizu, April 7

FOR MANILA AND HONGKONG.
FUSHIMI MARU ... 21,000 Capt. T. Nogushi, Feb. 24

FOR AUSTRALIA (Sailing from Hongkong).
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TANGO MARU ..... 14,000 Capt. B. Saito, Mar. 22
NIKKO MARU .... Capt. J. Kusano, April 19
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Shipping Items

The P. and O. s.s. Chakrata was expected to leave Bombay for Straits, Hongkong and Shanghai on Friday.

The P. and O. s.s. Kashmir, from London on January 14, is expected to arrive at Hongkong on Monday.

The P. and O. s.s. Karmala, with London mails of January 14 transhipped from Bombay, is expected to arrive at Hongkong on Tuesday, the 22nd.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung left Hongkong for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Shuntien left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai on Tuesday.

The M.M. s.s. Cordillere, with the French mails of January 19, is due to arrive at Saigon today and may be expected to arrive in Shanghai on February 26.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung left Hongkong for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Feicking left Foochow for Shanghai on Tuesday morning.

The I-C. s.s. Yusang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Swatow today.

The I-C. s.s. Hopsang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Swatow on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Choysang will leave Tsingtao for Shanghai tomorrow and is due here next Sunday.

The E. and A. s.s. Kanowna left Hongkong for Melbourne and ports yesterday.

The Adl. Line s.s. Edmore left Yokohama for Seattle on Sunday February 13.

The Adl. Line s.s. Pawlet left Kobe for Shanghai on Sunday.

The Adl. Line s.s. Coazet left Seattle for Yokohama on Feb. 10.

The Adl. Line s.s. Alloway left Kobe for Chinkiang on Sunday.

The Adl. Line s.s. Wheatland of Montana left Yokohama for Shanghai on Sunday.

The Isthmian Steamship Liner Crasier Hall, from Mobile on Dec. 18 left Kobe on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai by way of Moji on or about Sunday, Feb. 20.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The I-C. s.s. Tuckwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang will leave Hongkong for Shanghai today.

The P. and O. s.s. Dilwara, from Bombay on February 7, is expected to arrive at Hongkong on February 25.

The P. and O. s.s. Kashgar will leave Shanghai for London and ports on Monday, February 28 and the tender with passengers and baggage will leave the Customs jetty at noon on the sailing day.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The S.M.R. s.s. Kobe Maru is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Tsingtau and Dairen Saturday morning and will sail for same ports at 8.30 a.m. Sunday. The tender with passengers and baggage will leave the Customs jetty at 9 o'clock Saturday night.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Awaji Maru will leave Nagasaki for Shanghai today and is expected to arrive at the Wayside Wharf on Saturday.

The B.I. s.s. Arratoon Apcar arrived in Shanghai from Calcutta early yesterday morning and will sail for the same port by way of Kobe, Hongkong and Straits this morning.

The P. and O. s.s. Allpore, freighter from London on December 11, is expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai next Monday afternoon.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Titan, from United Kingdom, will leave Hongkong for Shanghai on Saturday.

The Adl. Line s.s. Duquesne arrived at Hongkong from Manila on February 13.

The Adl. Line s.s. Abercos left Hongkong for Shanghai last Sunday.

The Adl. Line s.s. Waukegan left Hongkong for Calcutta last Saturday.

The China Mail s.s. Nanking is due to sail for from San Francisco for Honolulu, Yokohama Shanghai, Hongkong and Manila today and is expected to arrive at this port on March 13.

Silk shipped per C.P.O.S. Monteagle from Shanghai on January 10 arrived at New York on Ferbuary 9.

Silk shipped per C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Asia from Shanghai on January 15 arrive at New York on February 7.

The P. & O. s.s. Kashgar is expected to leave Kobe for Shanghai on Feb. 22, at 5 p.m.

The P. & O. s.s. Chakrata left Bombay for Shanghai on Tuesday afternoon.

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S.S. "NANKIN"	March 28th

FOR BOMBAY via STRAITS AND COLOMBO

S.S. "DILWARA"	March 4th
S.S. "DUNERA"	April 7th

FOR CALCUTTA DIRECT FROM HONGKONG

S.S. "JAPAN"	February 19th
S.S. "ARRATOON APCAR"	March 4th

FOR SYDNEY from HONGKONG

S.S. "ST. ALBANS"	March 9th
S.S. "EASTERN"	April 5th
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AFRICA MARU .... 18,000 Yamamoto, Mar. 8 Mar. 10
FOR HONGKONG.
ARABIA MARU .... 18,000 Komiya, Mar. 20 Mar. 21
FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS, For Dairen via Tientsin
KOHOKU MARU .... 5,000 Akazawa, Feb. 21 Feb. 22
FOR FORMOSA, For Takao via Keelung.
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Feb. 16	— Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
Feb. 16	— Hankow, etc.	Yuchi Maru	Jap. N.K.K.
Feb. 16	— Japan	Saishun Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Feb. 16	— Foochow	Hwaan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Feb. 16	— A. H'kong, C'ton	Chekiang	Br. B & S
Feb. 16	— Hankow	Hanping	Chi. H. Y. P.
Feb. 16	— Chinwangtao	Shinon	Chi. K.M.A.
Feb. 16	— Tsingtao	Kansu	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 16	— Tientsin	Hsinming	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Feb. 16	— Hongkong & Canton	Taishun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Feb. 16	— Nanking	Weishun	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb. 16	— Chinwangtao	Kishun Maru	Jap. K.M.A.
Feb. 16	— Hamburg, ports	Ameland	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Feb. 16	— Miike	Sancho M.	Jap. M.B.K.
Feb. 16	— Nanking	Yenoura Maru	Jap. M.S.K.
Feb. 16	— Canton, etc.	Lushan M.	Jap. N. K. K.
Feb. 16	— Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap. S.M.R. Co.
Feb. 16	— Dairen	Upolu	Br. J. T. Co.
Feb. 16	— Hongkong & Canton	Ichang	Br. B & S
Feb. 16	— Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinkong	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 16	— Wenchow	Taonan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 16	— Dairen	Kyodo Maru 2	Jan. Kaiyosha
Feb. 16	— S. H'kong, C'ton	Hangsang	Br. J.M. & Co.
Feb. 16	— Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi N.S.S.N. Co.

Information For Mariners

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1921

High Water at Woosung Bar
(The day tides are higher than the night tides, they are about equal at 2 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7½ h.

A.M. Time	A.M. Range	P.M. Time	P.M. Range
6h. 18m.	5ft. 9in.	7h. 5m.	3ft. 6in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The day tides are higher than the night tides).
Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H.	A.M. M.	P.M. H.	P.M. M.
5	21	5	53

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
0 29 p.m.	1 34 a.m.	6h. 43m.	5h. 46m.	5h. 53m.	6h. 31m.

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai
For February 30.29 in.
769.5 mm

Sailed from Shanghai

For San Francisco		
Nanking	Jan.	16
Tenyo Maru	Jan.	16
Stockton	Jan.	28
Venezuela	Jan.	29
Sylvan Arrow	Jan.	29
Nile	Jan.	30
Shinyo Maru	Feb.	10
For Tacoma		
Arizona Maru	Jan.	19
Hawaii Maru	Feb.	10
For Seattle		
Cross Keys	Jan.	17
Kashima Maru	Jan.	29
Edmore	Jan.	30
West Jessup	Feb.	9
For Los Angeles		
West Hixton	Feb.	6
For Portland		
Bearport	Jan.	12
Montague	Jan.	19
For Vancouver		
Monteagle	Jan.	11
Empress of Asia	Jan.	16
Empress of Japan	Jan.	29
Empress of Russia	Feb.	13
For New York		
Celtic Prince	Jan.	15
Esther Dollar	Jan.	17
Lyon Maru	Jan.	22
Agamemnon	Jan.	24
Amur Maru	Jan.	25
Tuscan Prince	Jan.	29
Satsuma	Feb.	6
For London etc		
Plassy	Jan.	19
Shidzuoka Maru	Jan	19
Glenluce	Jan.	22
City of Florence	Jan.	31
Delta	Feb.	1
Kaga Maru	Feb.	6
Glenamoy	Feb.	9
For Liverpool		
Anchises	Jan.	29
Knight Templar	Feb.	9
For Copenhagen		
Chile	Jan.	31
For Hamburg		
Rhesus	Jan.	11
Deucalion	Jan.	29
Himalaya Maru	Feb.	5
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Awaji Maru, *Japan*	Feb. 19
Changon, *Hankow*	Feb. 21
Choysang, *Tsingtao*	Feb. 20
C. Hall, *Mobile*	Feb. 20
Chungking, *Hankow*	Feb. 24
Feicking, *Foochow*	Feb. 17
Hopsang, *Swatow*	Feb. 19
Hsinfung, *Hongkong*	Feb. 18
Hsin Singshao, *Ningpo*	Feb. 18
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Per S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru for Dairen: Misses V. and E. Augustensen, A. Moller, H. Madsen, Mrs. James Salter, Mrs. P. Korakavitch, Mr. and Mrs. Y. Jaspersen, Mrs. M. Christensen, Mstrs. C. Christensen, C. and V. Christensen, Mrs. E. Bille, Mr. and Mrs. Coy, Mrs. K. Kristeansen, Mr. and Mrs. Whelan, Messrs. D. G. Sandys, E. C. Beker, M. C. Jensen, R. Christensen, N. Kristeansen, Persaner, Alkunovich, G. C. Friedgen, G. E. Fowler, A. C. Barmo.

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Further Details Given Of Sewer System Plans

Recommendations Of Commissioner Of Public Works Will Be Included In This Year's Budget

Added details concerning the sewage disposal system to be installed in the central district of the International Settlement are given in the current issue of the Municipal Gazette in a communication to the Council from Mr. Charles H. Godfrey, Commissioner of Public Works. The recommendations contained in the communication are to be included in the budget for this year.

The communication follows:

Referring to my report dated November 22, 1919, in which a scheme was outlined for dealing with the sewage of the Central District east of Honan Road, the problems involved have now been considered in more detail, and I forward herewith a plan showing how it is proposed to carry out the works.

THREE DIVISIONS

To explain the scheme in some detail, the works for this purpose may be divided into three main headings, viz:

I. Subsidiary Sewers
II. Main Sewer
III. Pumps

I. Subsidiary Sewers.—These are the sewers shown traversing the roads in the district affected and which discharge their contents, borne under the influence of gravity, into the main sewer. In all cases, provision has been made so that these can be laid at a gradient that will ensure a self-cleansing velocity.

Generally speaking, the sewers south of Hankow Road will gravitate to the pump provided at the junction of Foochow Road and the Bund, and those north of Hankow Road to the pump at the junction of Peking Road and the Bund. The sewer in Foochow Road has been shown as extending west of Honan Road in order to connect up with the Shantung Road Hospital.

II. Main Sewer.—This will proceed via the Bund, Whangpoo Road, Nanzing Road and Dixwell Road to the Disposal Works.

The gradients allowed for in the various lengths will ensure a self-cleaning velocity.

MAIN SEWER

The main sewer would be available for receiving any incoming sewers en route, except where it will be necessary to provide pumping mains (which would of course be under pressure). This would only be in the lengths from Peking Road to north of the Garden Bridge, and from Hanbury Road to north of the Sawginkiang. In each of these cases it is necessary to pump the sewage over the bridges. In the latter case, the pumping main has been continued along Dixwell Road so as to obviate the necessity of an additional pump at the Sawginkiang Bridge. It may be possible to construct this main in concrete of a special manufacture, but I hope to be able to report further on this in the course of a few weeks.

III. Pumps.—The scheme provides for pumps at six places and includes two 4-in. and fourteen 6-in. At each pumping station an additional pump has been allowed for, over and above the actual requirements, to provide for the case of possible breakdowns.

I recommend that the Stereophagus type of pump be used, the total price of these for the scheme, reckoning on the latest quotation, being £2,600 f.o.b.

I would ask for authority to purchase these pumps, the actual work of construction of the sewers and pump-chambers to proceed accordingly. Provision of Tls. 150,000 has been made in the Preliminary Estimates for 1921, being the part cost of carrying out this work, and as the urgency of dealing with the problem becomes more, and more apparent. I would urge the desirability of proceeding with the carrying out of the work without delay. Chas. H. Godfrey, Commissioner of Public Works.

Mixed Court Jottings

Waino Victor Warpula, the Finn who is charged with the attempted murder of Mr. Jensen in a boarding house at 18 Chaoufong Road last Monday, appeared before Assessor Hutchison and Magistrate Tsang in the Mixed Court yesterday when the case was remanded for about two weeks—or until Mr. Jensen's ship returns from a trip to Tientsin. Accused was allowed $500 cash bail on the application of Mr. J. B. Davies who is appearing for the defense. When bail was asked Mr. Faithful, who is prosecuting, said that he had no objection. He had lived in the same boarding house with Warpula for a time in the Bubbling Well district, he said, and knew him to be a respectable man, quite alright except that he liked a drop of beer, and counsel thought it evidently due to this that the accused found himself in his present trouble. Warpula is an employe of Mustard and Co. and a member of the S.V.C. It was his corps rifle which he is accused of firing.

Two Chinese soldiers appeared in court yesterday on the charge of being in possession of arms. They were arrested on Canton Road Tuesday night by a Chinese detective and one was found to be carrying a loaded .25 caliber revolver while the other had two pairs of brass kunckles. The case was remanded two weeks for investigation.

Fifteen men were arrested in a gambling raid at 322 Dong Ka Loong Tuesday evening and the nine who appeared in court yesterday were fined $3 each. The rest failed to appear and forfeited their bail of $5 each.

A man and woman arrested at the instance of the Shanghai City authorities and charged with abducting a girl were ordered detained until an application is received to turn them over to the City police.

A shroff of the China Garage accused of embezzling $100 in collections was discharged yesterday. He insisted that he had turned the money over to another employe who has absconded.

Loh Siau-pau, riding along Yunnan Road in a ricsha with 50 tins of "anti-opium" pills in his lap was stopped and robbed of the lot by a couple of coolies. One of the men he managed to grapple with and hold until a policeman arrived. This party was given a six months' sentence by the Mixed Court yesterday.

The proprietor of an opium den at 1164 E. Yuhang Road was fined $20 yesterday.

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Harding Waives Tax Exemption

(*U.S. Navy Radio Through Reuter*)

Washington, Feb. 16.—In a letter to Congressman Longworth, President-Elect Harding states that the Presidential salary (of $75,000 per annum, plus a travelling allowance of $25,000) should not be exempted from income tax, which amounts to $18,000.

MARINE CHANGES ARE ANNOUNCED

The following changes in the merchant marine service took place during the week:

China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company—Chief officer of the Kiangteen, Mr. Wm. Anderson, transferred to the Hsinkong, chief officer of the Hsinkong, Mr. John Sunko, to the Kiangteen; second officer of the Kiangteen, Mr. F. H. Davies, to the Hsinkong; Mr. C. Mark appointed second officer of the Kiangteen; chief officer of the Kwanglee, Mr. E. Klinganberg, to the Hsinming; second officer of the Kaho, Mr. H. W. Perry, to the Kiangan; Mr. F. A. Mexwell appointed chief officer of the Hsinming; chief officer of the Kaho, Mr. C. La Patoural, to the Kiangan; third engineer of the Kiangwah, Mr. S. Kolesmik, to second engineer of the Kiangan; Mr. S. Korolieff appointed fourth engineer of the Kiangwah.

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company—Mr. T. A. Lipton appointed supernumerary second mate of the Loongwo; from home leave, Mr. G. G. Patterson, to chief engineer of the Kingsing; chief engineer of the Kingsing, Mr. J. Thomson, to the Koonshing; third engineer of the Koonshing, Mr. J. J. Robertson, to acting second engineer of the Kutwo; second engineer of the Kutwo, Mr. E. Scott, to acting chief engineer of the Esang; chief engineer of the Koonshing, Mr. H. Kingswood, placed on reserve; Mr. W. Murray appointed third engineer of the Koonshing; acting chief engineer of the Esang, Mr. J. Hay, placed on reserve; from leave to pass Mr. W. Parr, third engineer of the Loongwo; third engineer of the Loongwo, Mr. W. M. H. Adam, placed on reserve.

Canton Railway Employs Women

(*Reuter Pacific Service*)

Canton, Feb. 15.—More than thirty Cantonese women have entered the employ of the Canton-Samshui Railway, four of them as secretaries and the remainder as ticket-collectors and inspectors. Other companies, including the Telephone Exchance, are, it is understood, conceding the demands of the Women's Union for the employment of women and girls on equal terms with men.

Gen. Tang Chi-yao Quits Yunnanfu

(*Reuter Pacific Service*)

Canton, Feb. 15.—News has been received here of the departure of General Tang Chi-yao from Yunnanfu, possibly for Canton.

Despite the apparent defeat of the Constitutionalist cause in Yunnan, Kweichow and Hunan, and the reported capture of General Lan Tien-wei, the Military Government maintains that it has a sufficient number of supporters in these provinces to enable it to regain the ground lost.

General Tang's failure in Szechuan and Yunnan is believed to have caused the disagreement between himself and General Koo Ping-chun, but the latter, it is asserted, is still loyal to the Constitutionalists, and the change of affairs in Yunnan does not affect the influence of the Military Government there.

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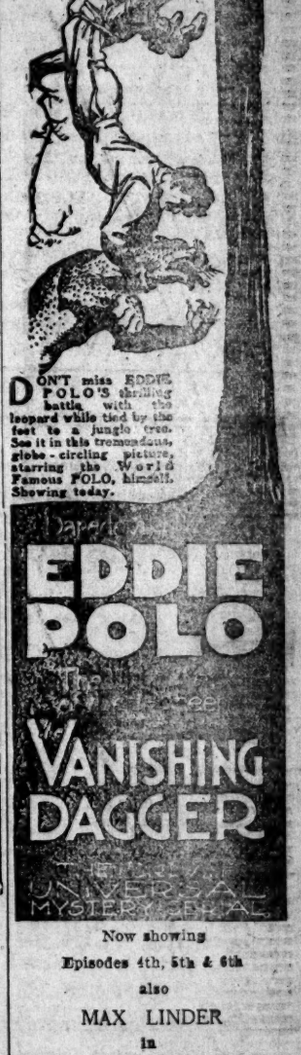
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